WEATHER FORECAST

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CHAMBERLAIN STATES OBJECTIVE ATTAINED THROUGH ROME TALKS

Prime Minister Satisfied Mussolini Will Co-operate in Settling Jewish Problem—Intimate Understanding Obtained by Personal Contacts—Believes Italy Will Keep Peace

ROME, Jan. 14 (AP).—Prime Minister Chamberlain left Rome today satisfied that Premier Mussolini would co-operate in settling the problem of what to do with Germany's and Italy's Jewish refugees. Italians expressed belief that the way had been opened—by British dealing with Italy as an imperial equal—to a new deal in the Mediterranean, where she has claims on France.

Both Mussolini and Mr. Chamberlain expressed "determination" to follow policies aimed at maintenance of peace.

Those three points emerged as a result of the three days Mr. Chamberlain devoted to the Rome leg of the appeasement travels he started in the September crisis over Germany's quarrel with Czecho-Slovakia.

ASSISTANCE PROMISED

Promised Italian co-operation on the Jewish problem stood as the most concrete achievement of the British-Italian talks, but Mr. Chamberlain gained no idea as to what lines Mussolini's co-operation in the matter would follow.

Before his departure Mr. Chamberlain, in a statement to the Italian press, said he was "more than ever convinced of the good faith and good will of the Italian Govern-

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MANY VISITORS COMING TO CITY

Hundreds of Reservations Made by Hotels for Time Of Royal Tour

Hotel accommodation in Victoria is likely to be taxed to the utmost during the visit of Their Majesties the King and Queen, judging from the large numbers of reservations that have already been made by people of many parts of Canada and the United States. Immediately after the announcement of the date of Their Majesties' visit to the British Columbia, the rush to reserve rooms began, and the number of reservations is increasing steadily day by day.

Up to last night the Empress Hotel had approximately 150 rooms and suites reserved for the end of May, most of the applications having been received from the Northwestern States, California, and other parts of Canada.

"They are coming in batches of from ten to twelve every day," an official of the Empress Hotel said.

MANY PAYING IN ADVANCE

The Dominion Hotel also has made a large number of reservations for the time of the Royal visit, and is receiving fresh requests every day. Many of the applicants have made payments in advance, to be certain that rooms will be held for them. Of the reservations made so far, quite a large number have been arranged over the desk, by visitors who wish to return to Victoria to see the King and Queen.

The first reservation at the Strathcona Hotel was made on the day the Royal visit was announced, and requests for rooms have been coming in steadily ever since. Other hotels in city and suburbs also report having made many reservations.

Says Liberal "OK" Brands B.C. Politics

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14 (CP).—R. L. Maitland, Leader of the Conservative Opposition in the Provincial Legislature, charged last night that in some parts of British Columbia it is almost necessary "to get the O.K. of a member of the Liberal party before you can breathe."

Guest speaker at a woman's Conservative meeting, Mr. Maitland told of a meeting he held in Revelstoke some time ago. "Not more than thirty people attended my meeting," the provincial Conservative leader said, "because a Liberal stood in the doorway of the hall, taking down the names of all who entered."

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HUGE SUM TO BE PROVIDED

Dominion Finance Minister Asking Authority to Raise $750,000,000 by Loan

OTTAWA, Jan. 14 (CP).—Finance Minister Dunning has sponsored a resolution, appearing in today's House of Commons votes and proceedings, by which the Government will take authority to raise $750,000,000 by way of a loan to retire maturing loans and for other purposes.

The resolution precedes a bill to give Mr. Dunning blanket authority to provide for maturing loans and new expenditures. Such a bill is not necessarily introduced each session.

A new bill is submitted when the $750,000,000 in the last act is almost gone, so the minister always has authority to deal with financial requirements of the Government.

The resolution published today read:

TEXT OF MOTION

"That the Governor-in-Council be authorized to raise by way of loan under the Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act, 1931, an amount not to exceed in the whole the sum of $750,000,000 for paying or redeeming, the whole or any portion of loans or obligations of Canada, and also for purchasing and withdrawing from circulation unmatured securities of Canada, and for public works and general purposes."

On January 1, $40,000,000 in three-year notes came due in New York and was taken care of under the previous bill. Immediate loans falling due are: June 1, conversion loan 1937, $20,000,000; June 1, refunding loan, 1937, $20,000,000; October 15, refunding loan, 1933, $47,269,500; October 15, refunding loan, 1934, $7,933,000; November 15, 1935 loan, $20,000,000.

The first heavy refunding operation will be on March 1, 1940, when the 1934 loan of $115,013,636 falls due.

Two Stores Entered in City Centre

Two stores were entered by burglars last night and early this morning, city police reported. At about 11.30 o'clock Constable Arthur Rudge discovered that George Bone's service station, 616 Pandora Street, had been entered by forcing the door of the tire shop.

A few minutes later it was discovered that the Pantorium Dye Works had also been entered. The dial was knocked off the safe and the contents stolen. W. P. Jeune, manager of the establishment, said he was not sure how much money was taken, but thought it would be several hundred dollars. Police believe entry was made through the skylight.

Many Fatalities in U.S. Attributed to Heavy Snowstorms

Thirty-One Deaths Reported in Widely-Separated Sections—Motorists Forced to Abandon Cars In New York—More Snow Is Forecast

CHICAGO, Jan. 14 (AP).—Deep Winter snows, routing false harbingers of Spring, blanketed much of the United States tonight with the heaviest fall of the 1938-39 season. At least thirty-one deaths were reported as sub-freezing temperatures glazed highways from the Atlantic Coast to the Rocky Mountains.

The fatalities resulted from sledding mishaps, heart attacks while shoveling snow, traffic crashes on icy streets and exposure.

In New Madrid, Mo., the State Highway Patrol started to break up a homeless army of more than 1,000 sharecroppers entrenched in snow and rain-soaked highway camps. Authorities said the sharecropper families, ousted from their homes, were "a menace to public health."

MOTORISTS ABANDON CARS

Nearly ten inches of snow covered New York and brought out 32,000 shovel-and-sweep workers to keep traffic moving. Hundreds of motor-

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Niagara's Spray Makes Fairyland



When Winter arrives in Niagara Falls, it quickly transforms the Queen Victoria Park into a fairyland of glassy trees and shrubs, which attracts thousands of tourists to admire the scene. This picture shows the trees and shrubs in the park completely covered with ice as the spray from the famous Niagara Falls covers the park.

France Parading Mighty Fleet to Impress Il Duce

Republic Plans Show of Force in Mediterranean to Coincide With British Manoeuvres—Not Satisfied With Results Attained by Appeasement Talks—Concern Over Spain

PARIS, Jan. 14 (AP).—France today ordered displays of force from one end of the Mediterranean to the other, apparently against what the Daladier Government considers the aggressive attitude of Italy. The French Atlantic and Mediterranean fleets were ordered to show their strength off Africa's northwest coast in manoeuvres, which will coincide with the Mediterranean visit of the British Home Fleet on a regular Spring cruise.

Three submarines received instructions to proceed to Syria, where demands for freedom from French control have caused rioting.

French army and navy commanders-in-chief were told to make tours of inspection of African colonial fortifications.

SAYS NOTHING DONE

The French Government received from its Ambassador to Rome a report indicating that little, if anything, had been accomplished in "appeasement" conversations between Premier Mussolini and Prime Minister Chamberlain despite the "cordial nature" of the visit.

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DEPUTY POLICE CHIEF DEMOTED

Several Changes Made in Vancouver Force Among Higher Officers

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14 (CP).—Deputy Chief Alfred Grundy was demoted and Staff Inspector Donald McKay was appointed assistant chief of the Vancouver police department today as "reorganization" instructions of Mayor J. Lyle Telford were carried out by Chief of Police W. W. Foster.

A general reorganization of administrative control into four separate divisions is provided for in the shakeup which sent the deputy chief to South Vancouver and Kerrisdale districts as an inspector in the uniform branch.

The post of deputy chief was abolished and the position of assistant chief created. The assistant chief will be in charge of the uniform branch.

APPOINTMENT TO BE MADE

Appointment of a new head of the criminal investigation department, to take the place of Staff-Inspector McKay, will be made from among the bureau's inspectors. The post will now carry the rating of superintendent.

Traffic Inspector Wilfred Lemon will continue as head of the traffic branch, which has been made an independent branch of the department.

Chief Clerk Frank Amor will continue as head of the records and statistics bureau.

EMPLOYMENT IN CANADA BETTER

Conditions Improved Over 1936 but Slightly Under 1937 Period

OTTAWA, Jan. 14 (CP).—Employment conditions throughout Canada were better last year than in 1936, but somewhat lower than in 1937—a period of "unusually" great industrial activity, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics said today in its annual employment review.

Except for the pre-depression years 1929 and 1930, and 1937, the employment figures for last year were higher than at any time in history, the department's summary said.

1938 DECREASE

The 1938 index averaged 111.8, compared with 114.1 in 1937 and 103.7 in 1936. Number of employees working for the 10,719 firms, which co-operated with the department in preparation of the review, averaged 1,069,870 last year. In 1937 the monthly average was 1,083,831.

Number of payrolls of co-operating firms was higher last year until June, but from then on industrial activity was at a lower level than in 1937.

Employment was quieter last year in British Columbia, the Maritimes and Ontario, but in Quebec and the Prairie Provinces the indices were slightly higher, the bureau said.

GARDEN OF EDEN TO BLOOM AGAIN

BAGDAD, Iraq, Jan. 15 (AP).—Women and men may pick apples once more in the Garden of Eden when water flows into the arid country from a giant reservoir built by British engineers.

The Kut dam irrigation project, designed to bring under cultivation a great tract of land between the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers, traditional site of the land from which Adam and Eve were expelled, was completed New Year's Eve.

SWEEP INTO NEW GROUND

Insurgents Enter Barcelona Province in Drive for Decisive Victory

HENDAYE, France, Jan. 14 (AP).—Insurgents announced tonight they had reached the border of Barcelona Province and were only thirty-seven and one-half miles from the Government capital in their drive for a decisive victory in the Spanish civil war.

Generalissimo Francisco Franco put an army of 300,000 men into action against Government lines defending the capital, Barcelona.

Insurgents were said to have entered Barcelona Province on its western boundary through capture of a Codom peak in the Sierre de Queralt. This marked an advance of nearly thirteen miles since morning of the northern column of the central army corps.

IN QUICK SUCCESSION

The column sent back word of capture of important villages and towns in quick succession throughout the day.

Government counter-offensives in Southwestern Spain and in the Brunete sector west of Madrid appeared to have failed as diversions.

Besides the occupation of Codom Peak, insurgents reported that twenty miles to the south their troops had captured the walled town of Valls, Government air base twelve miles north of the port of Tarragona. Government reports denied this.

SPEEDING UP OPERATIONS

Insurgent reports said seven army corps taking part in the big push in Northeastern Spain had speeded up operations over a 100-mile front extending from the Pyrenees Mountains east of Andorra, near the French border, southward through Lerida and Tarragona Provinces to the Mediterranean.

Insurgent infantry was supported by artillery fire on a Great War scale, and airplanes were massed in squadrons of 100.

INNOCENT VICTIM OF CHARGE FREED

Vancouver Man Found Guilty of Forgery Released When Another Confesses to Crime

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14 (CP).—Dick Antonio, thirty-one-year-old ship's baker, was acquitted of cashing a forged cheque by Judge J. N. Ellis in County Court today after a "double" confessed to the crime.

Antonio was found guilty last December 12 of the charge he cashed a spurious cheque for $185, and was remanded for sentence. Later he applied to reopen the case and brought William C. Lane, thirty-one-year-old finsmith from Oakalla jail to testify he was guilty of the crime for which Antonio was accused. Lane was awaiting trial in Oakalla on another similar charge.

In acquitting Antonio, Judge Ellis said the two bore a striking physical resemblance and Antonio had accepted full responsibility for the crime at his trial.

ADMIRALTY CHANGES

LONDON, Jan. 14 (CP).—Admiral Sir Matthew Best, Commander-in-Chief of the America and West Indies station from 1934 to 1937, is retiring from the Royal Navy, effective tomorrow, the Admiralty announced last night. Also announced were the promotions of Vice-Admiral Sir Reginald Henderson to the rank of Admiral, and of Rear-Admiral Robert Raikes to the rank of Vice-Admiral.

SIXTY DEAD AND MILLIONS LOST IN AUSTRALIA'S BLAZING BRUSH

Death and Damage Keep Pace With Swiftly-Moving Conflagration Spreading Over 44,000 Square Miles of Victoria State—Blistering Heat Adds to Terror of Inhabitants

Use Military Equipment For Relief of Sufferers

MELBOURNE, Jan. 14 (AP).—Billows of choking smoke swirled over Melbourne tonight as thousands of volunteers struggled to check fast-traveling bush fires that have killed an estimated sixty persons and brought devastation to districts spread over more than half of Victoria State's 88,000 square miles of territory.

Breaking out Monday during the worst heat wave and drought in the State's history, the crackling fires have driven hundreds of persons from their homes and caused property damage running into millions of dollars.

CATTLE DESTROYED

The Federal Government has turned over military equipment for the relief of sufferers. Little chance was seen of controlling the blaze without rain, however, and the immediate prospect was for continuation of scorching weather that has dried up streams and killed off thousands of head of cattle.

In New South Wales three persons were burned to death in bush fires Friday and ten fatalities were caused by the heat. Four died at Sydney, where the temperature reached 113.6.

Rural residents of Victoria, exhausted by a week of physical and mental torture, already call yesterday "Victoria's black Friday."

In the town of Woodspoint alone, twenty-one men and two women were burned to death and 500 left homeless. Fourteen men trapped in a lumber mill dived into a pile of sawdust for protection, but all were killed.

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Japanese Believed Preparing for New Landing of Troops

CHUNGKING, Jan. 14 (CP-Havas).—The Central (Chinese) News Agency reported today that a fleet of sixty Japanese warships was heading for the Tongking Gulf area, possibly with the intention of attempting a large-scale landing on the Kwangtung coast and the long-awaited invasion of neighboring Kwangsi Province.

Duchess Is Injured as Horse Falls

NOTTINGHAM, Eng., Jan. 15 (CP-Havas).—The Duchess of Norfolk was admitted to Nottingham General Hospital tonight with a slight concussion of the brain following a hunting accident.

She was hunting with the Belvoir Hounds, as was the Duke of Gloucester last December 3 when his collar-bone was fractured in a fall from his horse.

The accident occurred at Holwell, nearby, when her horse stumbled and fell at a fence, throwing her to the ground.

SECURITY PLAN DIVIDES HOUSE

Washington State Legislature Facing Difficulties Over Budget

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 14 (AP).—Social security barred the path to continued harmony in the Washington State Legislature today and threatened to split well-ordered blocs into unrecognizable fragments.

As the second week of the session opened, President Pro Tem Kieron W. Reardon (Dem., Snohomish) sounded a warning that all was not well on the pension front, and his warning was echoed in a dozen quarters in both House and Senate.

Reardon attacked the message of Governor Clarence Martin to the Legislature as "inadequate" on social security, predicted failure of a move to cut the social security budget to $30,455,022, and admitted he expected another "march on the Capitol" by relief clients and sympathizers.

APPROVES OF CUT

In the House, the social security committee, like the Senate group, was under conservative leadership. The floor leader, Representative Edward J. Reilly (Dem., Spokane), indicated he approved the governor's plan to slash some $7,000,000 from the state's share of social security for the next biennium.

Left-wingers there, however, were preparing a finish fight against any such slash.

Prediction the food exemptions under the state sales tax would be removed by the Legislature came freely from senators, but there were prospects of a fight over the issue, particularly in the House.

BRITISH FLYERS KILLED

DARUNDEL, Sussex, England, Jan. 14 (CP-Havas).—Flying Officer Alexander Douglas and Sergeant John J. Cooper, of the Royal Air Force's First Pursuit Squadron, were killed today when their plane crashed at Walberton, near here.

POLICE SAVE TWO WOMEN

Mainland Mother Held at Revolver Point for More Than Hour

RICHMOND, Jan. 14 (CP).—Richmond municipal police said tonight they had arrested "after a struggle" a young man who held a revolver against Mrs. E. A. Moldowin's stomach for more than an hour.

Constable Edwin Bell said a charge of attempted murder would be laid against the twenty-two-year-old man, "Strong as an Ox," some time during the night.

Constable Bell said the man held Mrs. Moldowin and her daughter Kate, captives in their home while they pleaded with him for their lives.

DAUGHTER CALLS POLICE

Finally Kate managed to leave the house on the pretext of getting some wood for the fire, and notified police, he said.

Accompanied by Special Constable Robert Duckett, Constable Bell said he went to the house, located a few miles south of Vancouver at the mouth of the Fraser River.

He said they disarmed the man after a struggle and handcuffed him. He was booked for investigation pending laying of a formal charge of attempting murder, the constable reported.

PLEADS WITH MAN

Constable Bell quoted Mrs. Moldowin as saying she pleaded with the man and was able to keep him from firing a shot until the officers arrived. He said she told him she knew no reason for the man's action.

The constable said that he tried to enter the house quietly, but the youth, who by that time had holstered his gun, drew it again when a door rattled. Bell and Duckett scuffled with him, and slipped on the handcuffs after taking away the revolver.

Represented Scotland in Upper House

LONDON, Jan. 14 (AP).—The Earl of Lindsay, one of the sixteen Scottish peers in the House of Lords, died today at the age of seventy-two.

He was the twelfth earl of his line and had been a representative peer for Scotland since 1917.

A sixty-seven-year-old brother, Archibald L. Lindesay, of Manchester-by-Sea, Mass., is heir to the family title.

Charges Big Mining Companies Freezing Out B.C. Prospector

D. S. Tait, Secretary of Island Mine, Tells Vancouver Mines Bureau Large Operators Discouraging Prospecting Because of Unfair Methods

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14 (CP).—A charge that big mining companies are squeezing the old-time prospector out of British Columbia's rich gold fields, has been made by D. S. Tait, secretary of the Privateer Mining Company. Speaking before the mining bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade yesterday, Mr. Tait charged the prospector "hasn't been given a ghost of a chance in British Columbia."

"The big companies are actively discouraging prospecting in the areas in which they operate," he said. "Some even refuse to pay the prospector any more for claims. They give the prospector a minor interest in claims they want and he gets nothing from them until the company has developed them and got its own money back."

Mr. Tait said there are hundreds of young men who would be out in the hills doing productive work if they could get anything out of it other than a "dirty deal."

"The reason that prospecting has died out in British Columbia is simply that for the past five years there has not been one decent deal between a big operating company and a prospector," Tait said.

Other mining men, including F. M. Connell, head of the Toronto Mining

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SEEKING CAUSE OF AIR CRASH

Motor Trouble May Have Lead to Fatal Accident Of Plane

MILES CITY, Mont., Jan. 14 (AP).—Motor trouble might have caused a Northwest Airlines passenger plane to crash in flames last night, killing the four persons aboard, investigators theorized tonight after examining the charred wreckage.

George E. Gardner, operations manager of Northwest Airlines said it was "obvious from the evidence the pilot took off and circled the field (Miles City airport) as if he intended to try to get back to land."

HIGH WIND BLOWING

A high wind was blowing when the plane crashed. A light snow mixed with rain was falling.

The craft struck the ground at the bottom of a long, dry gulch and was ripped apart as it bounced into a steep hillside.

While earlier reports differed as to whether the plane burst into flames before it struck the ground, investigators expressed the opinion tonight the fire started when the ten-passenger Lockheed Zephyr transport crashed into the Sunday Creek bottomlands two miles west of Miles City.

HEARD HUSBAND'S CALL

A warning of the fatal crash came to Pilot G. B. Chamberlain's wife by short wave radio in her Minneapolis home.

By her custom when her husband was flying, Mrs. Chamberlain was tuned to the wave length of the plane's short wave set.

She heard her husband call, with frantic voice:

"Dispatcher! Dispatcher!"

"I sensed that something was wrong," Mrs. Chamberlain said today. "I didn't hear any more. I just knew something had happened."

SHIP IN ORIENT CALLS FOR HELP

Japanese Freighter Ashore on Island in Philippines and Leaking Badly

MANILA, Jan. 15 (AP).—The Japanese freighter Cheribon Maru ran aground today on Cagayan Island and radioed for immediate aid, saying she was leaking badly, Globe wireless reported.

The freighter said she was on the north end of the island.

No information as to the number aboard was contained in the distress call. Shipping registers listed the vessel as 345 feet long and weighing 4,020 tons.

A salvage tug was sought at Manila to aid the Cheribon Maru, which reported nine feet of water in her engine room.

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Naturalists' Canine Friends Given First Taste of Civilization

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. S. Fletcher Reach Victoria With Specimens for Museum, After Many Months of Study of Wild Life in the Far North

WAHOO, a seventy-pound malemute dog, and Rex, a sleek German police dog, who were born and bred in the Far North of British Columbia, are getting their first taste of civilization, and so far they find everything very interesting, though they prefer airplane to steamer travel.

Wahoo and Rex are the companions and servants of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. S. Fletcher, who arrived in Victoria yesterday with specimens of the fauna and flora of Northern British Columbia for the Provincial Museum, after spending the past twenty months at a point they chose for their studies of the wild life of the North, about 250 miles northeast of Prince George.

PREFER THE WILDS

Mr. Fletcher, an Englishman, and his wife, who is a doctor of philosophy, having received her degree from Cornell University, are more interested in the study and conservation of wild life than in the collections of specimens, and prefer life in the wilds to that of the cities.

Their journey into Northern British Columbia was not their first venture far from civilization. Mrs. Fletcher had previously entered the sub-Arctic regions of Hudson Bay, and Mr. Fletcher had spent many Winters in the Arctic and sub-Arctic. He spent some years in India before coming to Canada early in 1926.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher set out for the North in August, 1937, traveling by packhorse from Hazelton to Takla Lake, and from there up the Driftwood River Valley until they found a little unnamed lake that suited their purposes. There they set up a temporary camp while, with axe and crosscut saw, Mr. Fletcher felled trees to build a cabin, which he furnished entirely by his own hand from rough-hewn lumber.

MINIATURE GARDEN

In their new home, situated roughly in Lat. 56 degrees North, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher lived absolutely alone, the nearest trading post being sixty miles to the south, and the nearest railway 250 miles away. In a tiny patch of ground without too many rocks, they made a small vegetable garden, in which they grew radishes and lettuce.

"The radishes were as tough as leather," Mr. Fletcher remarked yesterday. "And the lettuce were only about an inch high," added his wife.

Once established, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher began their study of the fauna and flora of the surrounding bush and mountains, getting together a small but representative collection. Mrs. Fletcher collected a large number of plants, and her husband's specimens ranged from mice to bears.

Wahoo and Rex are working dogs as well as companions, and were of great assistance as pack carriers, Wahoo carrying a forty-pound load with ease, and the smaller, Rex, a pack about half that weight.

From time to time the naturalists shipped specimens down to the museum in Victoria as the opportunity offered, making use of passing Indians, trappers, or pack trains.

HEAVY SNOWFALL

During their first Winter in the North, the snow began on November 1, and was seven feet deep by Christmas. Later, however, they found it possible to travel on the crust. This Winter the snow was not so heavy.

On December 28 last, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher left their cabin and headed for civilization again, having arranged with Pilo. Russ Baker, of Canadian Airways, to pick them up at a little lake about twelve miles from their home.

Snow and fog delayed the plane, and for nine days Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher camped in a snowdrift. They were down to their last can of pork and beans when Pilot Baker eventually arrived, but were rewarded with a huge meal from the airplane's emergency rations. It was their first real meal for many days.

The plane was held up for another night when its skis stuck in the lake overflow, but after weary hours had been spent in tramping tracks for the skis, it was able to take off the next day, and finding a hole in the fog, landed at Fort St. John, whence Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher took a taxi to Prince George. There they spent a few days before traveling by rail to Vancouver.

"We have always wanted to be free, and thoroughly enjoyed being away from wars and rumors of war," Mr. Fletcher said. "We never had anything the matter with us up there, but we seem to catch colds as soon as we reach the cities."

"We have a second home up there, and if all goes well, we shall return in May. We want to get back before the migratory birds have all passed."

On arrival in Victoria from Vancouver yesterday, the naturalists were met by Dr. I. McT. Cowan, assistant director of the Provincial Museum, and registered at the Glenshiel Hotel. Tomorrow they plan to leave for Mrs. Fletcher's home in Philadelphia, where they have much work to do, mounting their big collection of photographs and arranging their motion picture films.

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CHAMBERLAIN IS RETURNING HOME

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ment" and that the visit would further "European collaboration."

He said he had not come for specific accords, but "to obtain, through personal contacts, more intimate understanding of the points of view of the two countries.

"That objective has been fully realized."

PROSPECT FOR PEACE

The British impression that Mussolini would refrain from war with France was strengthened by the newspaper Il Telegrafo of Leghorn, frequently mouthpiece of Foreign Minister Count Galeazzo Ciano.

The newspaper said Italy's denunciation of her 1935 colonial agreement with France should not mean Italy definitely wanted to make war. A way could be found to settle the claims, Il Telegrafo said, if France "calmed down" and assumed neither a bullying nor provocative attitude.

Virginio Gayda, Il Giornale d'Italia editor who usually writes with authority, gave an outline of Italy's future policy which may have been that which Mussolini laid before Chamberlain.

The Fascist editor wrote:

First, Italy intends to withdraw her remaining troops from Spain when foreign militiamen are withdrawn from the "red (Government) side." She is waiting for the London non-intervention committee to settle the problem. But the attitude of France and Soviet Russia runs contrary to such settlement.

Second, a new deal between Italy and France. France's "threats and obstinate intransigeence" can only aggravate the risks and dangers for France rather than dispose of the disputes.

Third, Italy is in "perfect agreement" with Germany to bring Eastern Europe and the Balkans under the influence of the Rome-Berlin axis.

Fourth, Italy's policy toward Japan's course in China is "no mystery." Italy and Japan, along with Germany, are allied in the anti-Comintern pact.

MANY FATALITIES IN SNOWSTORMS

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ists abandoned their cars at the height of the storm en route to their suburban homes.

Maryland reported the heaviest snowfall since 1927, with ten inches, while Wisconsin residents shivered amid nose-nipping temperatures once more after enjoying a fortnight of weather 13 degrees above normal.

Heavy snows fell over Northern New Mexico and isolated several ranches near Las Vegas, with drifts from five to nine feet deep. Rivers were reported rising near the danger point in East Texas, and marshes and lowlands were flooded.

Detroit spent $45,000 cleaning up its heaviest snowfall of the season and reported more than 300 accidents, none fatal.

Cold weather and more snow or rain was forecast generally for the week-end.



Professionals Are Redefined In New By-Law

LEGISLATORS who have contended for years that their mission is that of healing human ailments had better watch out. In the commissioned area of Burnaby that is now taxable by a professional licence fee of $10 per annum. The Provincial Government approved a Burnaby by-law yesterday extending a professional trades licence of $5 every six months to barristers, solicitors, physicians, surgeons, dentists, land surveyors, engineers, refractionists, optometrists, and to a "faith healer, mental healer, or other healer of human diseases or ailments." Wholesale, retail and manufacturing licences set at the same time were increased, on the recommendation of Commissioner Hugh M. Fraser.

LODGES HOLD INSTALLATION

Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters Elect Officers for New Year

A combined installation of officers of the Island Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters; Capital City No. 61, Knights of Pythias, and Far West Victoria No. 1, Knights of Pythias, was held in the K. of P. Hall on Thursday evening.

The installing officers of the sister lodge were: Grand chief, Sister N. Cossman, P.G.C.; grand manager, Sister H. Munroe; grand senior, Sister V. Barry; past chief, Sister B. Marshall. The officers installed were: Most excellent chief, Sister J. Moorhead; excellent senior, Sister F. Cossman; excellent junior, Sister M. Stanley; manager, Sister D. Dodd; mistress of records and correspondence, Sister V. Mesher; mistress of finance, Sister I. Doncaster; protector, Sister V. Short; guard, Sister L. Hockley; press correspondent, Sister M. Haines.

The installing officers of the Knights of Pythias were: Grand chancellor, A. Manson, P.C.; grand prelate, J. M. Hughes, P.G.C.; grand master-at-arms, G. E. Davies, P.C. The officers installed into Capital City No. 61 were as follows: C.C., T. Atkinson; V.C., H. Murray; prelate, H. Maddaford; M.W., J. Casey, P.C.; K.R.S., J. T. Clark; M.F., H. R. Brown; M.E., J. Emery; M.A., J. Newnham; I.G., H. G. Philbrook; O.G., N. Glover; the retiring chancellor commander, W. Jones, P.C.

The officers installed into Far West Victoria No. 1 were as follows: C.C., R. Jones; V.C., R. Keighley; prelate, V. Simpson; M.W., S. Moorhead, P.C.; K.R.C., A. A. Hockley; M.F., W. Carter; M.E., M. Barry; M.A., J. A. Bleackley; I.G., E. Hamerton; O.G., F. Humphries; the retiring chancellor commander, S. Moorhead, P.C.

The installation was followed by a banquet for about 150 members of the three lodges. Many interesting addresses were given by prominent officials of the order. Past Chief Sister B. Marshall, Past Chancellor W. Jones and Past Chancellor S. Mobdhead received their jewel of office. W. Carter and his staff of the refreshment committee were entirely responsible for the banquet provided.

SAYS COMPANIES OUST PROSPECTOR

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& Exploration Company; Dr. W. B. Burnett, head of Cariboo Gold Quartz Mines, and F. E. Woodside, manager of the British Columbia Chamber of Mines, also spoke.

Dr. Dolmage said there is no doubt prospecting is out of date in British Columbia. He claimed the East is ahead of this province in number of prospectors and methods employed.

SUCCESS ELSEWHERE

"There has been little new prospecting in British Columbia in recent years and no new methods," he said, "yet in Ontario and the Northwest Territories, young men with new methods have had great success."

Mr. Woodside called on businessmen to "grubstake" prospectors, especially young men trying to break into the game.

Mr. Connell suggested members of the Board of Trade, Stock Exchange, leaders of the mining industry and businessmen should form small syndicates to put up a few hundred dollars each to send prospectors into the hills.

"Vancouver has the best chance a city ever had in history to make millions, but it hasn't the courage," said Dr. Burnett. He advised businessmen to put the money they made from mining back into it "via the prospector," and predicted such a course would make money for the citizens, the city and the province.

MEETING TONIGHT

"Labor Trends in America" will be the subject to be reviewed today at 8 p.m., by the C.C.F. discussion group. The meeting, which is open to all, will be held in Room 9, Arcade Building.

ESQUIMALT LIBERALS

The Esquimalt Liberal Association will hold its monthly meeting in the St. Paul's Church Hall tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Members are urged to attend.

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B.C. CABINET MARKING TIME

Routine Orders-in-Council Passed by Executive Pending Premier's Return

Marking time in the absence of Premier Pattullo and leading members of the Cabinet, the Provincial Government dealt with routine orders-in-council in a routine way last week. Premier Pattullo and Hon. John Hart were believed in Toronto as the week ended, and Acting Premier A. W. Gray at New Westminster. A bare quorum of the executive remained here.

Tenders for the revival of the Mill Bay ferry service across Saanich Arm from Verdier Avenue will be opened at noon tomorrow by Hon. F. M. MacPherson, Minister of Public Works. It is probable that a subsidy will be asked for continuation of the service, on the basis of seven round trips daily in Summer and five at other times. A long-term charter is being offered by the Province to the lowest satisfactory bidder.

TWENTY-YEAR LEASE

Provincial orders granted a twenty-year renewal of ground leased by the Princeton Golf Club from the Princeton Park Board for $1 a year, commencing from December 1 last.

The resignation of Cyril A. Elkington as stipendiary magistrate at Tofino, on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, was accepted.

The customary examiners, twenty-two in number, were appointed to prepare school examination papers and to read the results for the present school year. They will be paid $15 for preparing a three-hour paper, $12.50 for other papers, $10 for attendance at board meetings, rail fares, $3 daily subsistence allowances while at Victoria, and $225 for reading the tests when completed. For the most part, the examiners are senior school officials.

The Province added three nominees to the board of Vancouver General Hospital; naming Alderman Fred Crone, M.P.P., J. E. Thompson and A. L. McWilliams, all of Vancouver, for the present year.

Miss Mary King, Nelson; Mrs. Edna L. Page, Summerland, and James Sadler, Prince Rupert, all attached to the field welfare staff of the Provincial Secretary's Department, were appointed deputy inspectors under the Welfare Institutions' Licensing Act in addition to their present work.

MORE FUEL OUTLETS

The Cabinet approved an order by the Provincial Fuel Board under which four new retail gasoline and one new retail coal outlets will be licensed; and three other licences transferred to new hands.

North Vancouver City and North Vancouver District, under provincial control, were authorized to continue the prepaid tax system, paying 5 per cent per annum on tax sums paid in advance. Tax sale lands worth $3,911 in Burnaby will be sold with provincial assent.

The British Columbia Packers Ltd., was granted a three month herring reduction licence for a plant at Pacofi, Queen Charlotte Islands, good until March 31 next.

Dr. Thomas E. Roberts, Mayne Island, was appointed as a justice of the peace.

How to Overcome Piles and Rectal Soreness

If you are annoyed with itching piles or rectal soreness do not neglect the same or run the risk of an operation. Any itching, soreness or painful passage of stool, is nature's warning and proper treatment should be secured at once. For this purpose get from MacFarlane and Vancouver Drug Stores, or any druggist, a package of Hemroid and use as directed. This formula, which is used internally, quickly relieves the itching and soreness and aids in healing the sore, tender spots. Hemroid is a physician's prescription, and is highly recommended. It is easy to use, and it seems the height of folly for anyone to risk an operation when a simple remedy, which is so pleasant to use may be had at such a reasonable cost.—Adv.

BELIEVED MEN SAFE ON SHORE

Givenchy and Provincial Police Boat Report Camp Fire on Beach

Hopes that Hugh Grexton and his son escaped from their foundering boat Eugene at Grief Bay, Calvert Island, and rowed safely ashore in the vessel's dinghy were held out yesterday by headquarters of the Provincial Police, after wireless advices from the Canadian Government steamship Givenchy and the P.M.L. 9. The wreck has been identified as Grexton's vessel, and nearby on the beach a dinghy was found, alongside a tarpaulin leanto and the remains of an extensive camp fire.

Captain Swanson, First Officer R. Shaster and others of the Givenchy; Game Warden Martin, and Constables Saunders and Brooksbank, of the Provincial Police, were combining in a shore search for the missing men. The beaches have already been combed, without further result. It was believed likely, however, that if the Grextons did land in the recovered dinghy, they may have struck inland to a nearby lake, where Hugh Grexton had a trapline.

Provincial Police praised tenacious efforts on the part of the master and crew of the Givenchy, both for the identification of the wreck of the Eugene, and for help given in subsequent searches on shore. The wreck of the Grexton boat was positively identified by members of the family, wireless advices stated yesterday afternoon.

CAPTAIN WILSON IS RE-ELECTED

Vancouver Island Pipers Hold Annual Meeting—Endorse Scottish Council Plan

Captain C. R. Wilson was unanimously re-elected president of the Vancouver Island Pipers' Society at a meeting of the executive, following the annual general meeting of the society, held in the Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, last night. George MacBeth was chosen as secretary. Percy W. A. Scott was returned as vice-president and A. Watson as treasurer.

At the general meeting the retiring members of the executive, Captain Wilson, Pipe-Major William Ferguson and Jack Lowe, were returned to office, and J. G. MacFarlane was elected as auditor.

The meeting, which was very largely attended, opened with piping selections by Lieutenant-Colonel Walter Bapty. Captain Wilson, Iain Wilson, Donald McLean and William Davidson, and at the close of the business session an enjoyable programme of Scottish music and verse was presented.

A proposal that a Scottish council, or corporation, should be formed of elected representatives of the Highland and Scottish organizations in Victoria and the surrounding districts, was endorsed by the meeting. It was suggested that the council should be of a co-ordinating nature, and non-executive, and that an independent chairman and secretary should be appointed by the representatives.

A presentation was made to Captain J. A. Dewar, the retiring secretary, in appreciation of his faithful services to the society.

The meeting unanimously supported a petition to Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King that there be immediately established in Canada a system of voluntary registration for defence along the lines already established in Great Britain.

NAVAL VETERANS

The annual meeting of the Naval Veterans' Branch, Canadian Legion, will be held on Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, in the clubrooms. Officers for the current year will be elected.

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WILL SHOW FILM

Ward Five Conservatives will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, at 8 p.m., at the Campbell Building, when the sound film, "The Silent Enemy," a tale of the Northland, with Indian actors, will be shown under the auspices of the Conservative publicity committee. Ward members and their friends are invited to the gathering.

No Candidates in Esquimalt Police Commission Field

NOMINATIONS for the unexpired term of the late George H. Kinch, on the Esquimalt Police Commission, will close on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. According to William J. Cave, returning officer, no candidates have yet come forward to file their papers for the office.



Red Cross Hospital Being Constructed Now on West Coast

Zeballos Shortly to Have $15,000 Institution for Care of Its Sick—Community and Mining Interests Raise $10,000 Toward Project

THE 2,500 miners and settlers in the new West Coast mining area of Zeballos are to have a $15,000 hospital of their own in the near future. The announcement is made by the Red Cross Society, which is sponsoring the institution as a Red Cross outpost hospital. Through the co-operation of approximately 1,000 persons and contributions from mining interests, the sum of $10,000 has been collected during the past few months. The Provincial Government has added $5,000. The hospital is essentially a community project, and will operate practically independently, with maintenance funds supplied by the community. The Red Cross, however, will be responsible for the superintending of the construction work, the equipment and operation. About 2,500 prospectors, miners, settlers and residents of the district will be served by the hospital.

UP-TO-DATE

The main unit of the hospital, which is already under construction and will be completed by April, will have accommodation for eight patients, X-ray equipment, operation facilities, nurses' quarters, a kitchen with modern fittings, and modern sanitation and heating system. The building is to be frame, with cedar siding. The site, which is slightly above the town of Zeballos, and overlooks the sea, has already been cleared and the foundation work has begun.

Only the main section is being built at present. Further accommodation will be added as required. The institution has been registered under the Hospitals Act, and will receive the regular Provincial Government per capita grant for all patients treated. Coming under the Workmen's Compensation Board privileges, it will also receive the standard allowance for all cases coming within this group.

A matron, Miss Isobel Smith, graduate of the Vancouver General Hospital, where she has filled the office of night superintendent for some time, in addition to hospital experience in California; and three resident nurses and domestic help will constitute the staff.

R. A. D. Berwick, of Sharp & Thompson, architectural adviser to the Provincial Red Cross outpost hospitals, is the architect for the building, and the contractor is M. M. Glennday.

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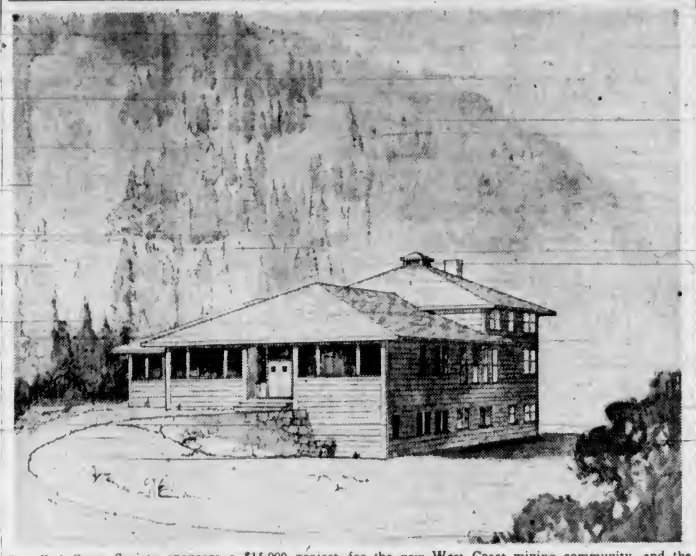
Women of Zeballos have already formed an auxiliary, and two of the rooms of the hospital are being furnished by them as a memorial to the late Mrs. George Nicholson, whose death occurred as the result of an airplane accident when she was returning from Vancouver, where she had been in connection with the campaign to raise funds for the building of the hospital.

The Zeballos branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society, which has been largely responsible for the carrying through of the project, comprises D. S. Tait and O. F. Bibb, honorary presidents; Major George Nicholson, president; A. W. Ford, Ray Petrie, Rod McLeod and T. L. Carr, vice-presidents; D. M. Sinclair, treasurer; H. E. Alder, secretary.

Mrs. J. Cameron is honorary president of the women's auxiliary; Mrs. Mary Holland, president; Mrs. T. M. Gibson, vice-president; Mrs. Frank Joubin, secretary; Mrs. E. Irvine, treasurer.

Privateer Mine section officers are: President, Mrs. Roy Evans; secretary, Mrs. M. La Vole, and treasurer, Mrs. S. McConnell.

Zeballos Community to Have Hospital



The Red Cross Society sponsors a $15,000 project for the new West Coast mining community, and the above is the architect's drawing, showing what the structure will look like when completed. The people of Zeballos have raised $10,000, and the Provincial Government gave a further $5,000 toward the scheme.

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DOUGLAS AND PANDORA

Obituary

SIMPSON—The funeral of Sydney Seymour Simpson will be held from the residence, 1176 Hampshire Road, on Monday at 1:45 p.m., the cortege proceeding to St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, where services will be conducted by Ven. Archdeacon Nunns at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

GAETZ—The remains of Raymond Leonard Gaetz will be forwarded on Monday afternoon to Red Deer, Alta., where services will be held and interment made next Friday. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. in charge.

DAY—The private funeral services for Mrs. Eveline Day were held in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon. Rev. A. E. G. Hendy officiated and cremation followed at the Royal Oak Crematorium.

SINCLAIR — Suddenly in this city yesterday morning there passed away George Alfred Sinclair at the age of sixty-three years. Mr. Sinclair was born in London, England, and moved to this city eight years ago from Saskatoon. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Anna C. Wakefield, Coral Court, Victoria, B.C., and Mrs. M. Henson, Saskatoon, two sisters in England; a granddaughter, Phyllis, in this city, and two grandsons, Selborne and George, at Saskatoon. S. J. Curry & Son have charge of funeral arrangements.

EMSON—Many friends attended the funeral of Walter Emson held on Saturday afternoon from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, Rev. A. E. Hendy conducting the service, after which interment was made in the family plot in Colwood Burial Park, with the following as pallbearers: M. McCarthy, F. Burdge, H. Duffield, H. C. Edwards, J. Rankin and G. Gibson.

ARDEN — Funeral services for Mary E. Arden were held on Saturday afternoon in St. Mary's Church, Metchosin, and attended by a large number of friends. Rev. H. M. Bolton conducted the rites and the hymn, "O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go," was sung. Interment was made in the churchyard, with the following as pallbearers: Major M. K. Crockett, W. Walker, R. Strong, J. W. Harkness, W. Witty and A. T. Parker. McCall Brothers directed the funeral arrangements.

VIRTUE—The funeral of Samuel A. Virtue was held on Saturday afternoon from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home under the auspices of Columbia Lodge No. 2, I.O.O.F. The service was conducted by J. Foubister, N.G., assisted by David Dewar, as chaplain, during which the hymn, "Abide With Me," was sung. Cremation took place in Royal Oak Crematorium, with the following brethren as pallbearers: W. S. Duncan, F. Eastwood, D. Henry, J. D. Burns, T. Neville and D. Fair.

HALL — The death occurred at the Royal Jubilee Hospital yesterday of Mrs. Mary Catherine Hall, aged sixty-two years, wife of William Hall, of 1256 Denman Street. Mrs. Hall was born in Manchester, England, and had been a resident of this city for the past twenty-nine years. She is mourned by besides her husband, two sons, Ernest, in South America, and William, at home, and one daughter, Mrs. J. Rodd, of Jasmine Avenue, Marigold; also a sister, Mrs. J. Edwards, of Wales, and a brother and two sisters in England. The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, where private services will be held on Monday, after which cremation will take place in the Royal Oak Crematorium.

MURPHY — On Friday on the Four-Mile Hill, Island Highway, there passed away John William Murphy, aged forty-seven years, a resident of Vancouver Island for the past three years. He is survived by relatives in Eastern Canada. The funeral will take place on Tuesday at 10:30 o'clock from Sands Mortuary Chapel, and the remains will be laid at rest in the Colwood Burial Park.

MURPHY—The death occurred on Friday in this city of George H. Murphy, aged sixty-three years. He was born in Ontario and had been a resident of Victoria for the past twenty-five years. He is survived by a brother, Fred H. Murphy, Ottawa, Ont. The remains are resting at Sands Mortuary Chapel and the funeral arrangements will be announced later.

BELL—The funeral of Mrs. Mabel Lydia Bell will take place from the Thomson Funeral Home on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Robert J. C. Were will officiate, and the remains will be interred in the family plot at the Royal Oak Burial Park.

JACKLIN—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, there passed away last night Mrs. Sarah Jane Jacklin, aged seventy-seven years. She was born in Cumberland, England, and had been a resident of Esquimalt for the past fourteen years, her late residence being 1591 Plimstead Street. She is survived by six sons, William, Hamilton, Ont.; Benjamin, 1586 Haig Street, Esquimalt; Robert, Calgary; Christopher Charles, Prince Rupert; George Frederick, 247 Cook Street, and Henry Prentice Jacklin, Quebec; one daughter, Mrs. Wilmer Hogaboam, Derwent, Alta.; also seventeen grandchildren. The funeral will take place on Tuesday at 2 o'clock from Sands Mortuary Chapel. Rev. Arthur Bischlager will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

EDWARDS — The funeral of Llewelyn Allison Edwards took place yesterday morning from Sands Mortuary Chapel. Rev. G. R. V. Bolster officiated, and the pallbearers were C. Marchenson, T. Brown, C. Stingo, D. Menville, J. H. McIlmoyl and F. Chapman. The remains were laid at rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

OSBORNE—Funeral services for Ben Osborne of Leechtown, will be held at Sands Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

YOUNG CITIZENS HOLD GATHERING

Members Present Gift to Peter G. Hartnell as Token of His Good Work

A gathering of prominent members of the Victoria division of the Young Citizens' League of British Columbia was held Friday night in order to present a token of esteem to Peter G. Hartnell, who is leaving shortly on an extended visit to Europe.

In making the presentation of a handsomely engraved silver tiepin, James N. Bawden expressed the high appreciation and esteem felt by the membership of the Young Citizens' League for Mr. Hartnell, who is one of the original members of the organization, and has served as provincial president for the past two years.

Mr. Hartnell expressed his sincere appreciation of the gift. He also spoke on the work of the league in the immediate future.

Mr. Hartnell discussed the spread of propaganda for public ownership of utilities. It will be the aim of the league in the future to combat the further spread of such propaganda.

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TRUSTEES HOLD FIRST MEETING

Newly-Elected Members of Board Take Oath of Office —Still Two Vacancies

NANAIMO, Jan. 14.—Mayor V. B. Harrison administered the oath of office to Trustee George Muir at the first meeting of 1939 school board last night, at which Trustee John Barsby was re-elected chairman. Trustee Muir was congratulated by His Worship and fellow members of the board. Two seats remain vacant, which will be referred to the city council in accordance with the School Act. Trustee George Muir and Trustee J. Bradfield expressed the hope that the Board of School Trustees would be permitted to name persons to fill the vacancies, instead of holding a poll.

Secretary E. H. Gough submitted the financial statement for 1938, showing expenditures totaling $77,360. Regular teachers' salaries cost $52,618; other employees, $8,170; night teachers' wages, $623.

FOR NEW SCHOOL

Satisfaction was expressed of favorable reports received from school inspectors of Nanaimo schools. Trustee Barsby announced the task of educating people to the necessity of a new school was contemplated before a by-law was placed before the ratepayers on the matter.

The board tabled a letter from Dr. H. E. Young, stating complaints had reached the Department of Health regarding medical inspectors of schools and seeking information regarding local conditions.

Standing committee chairmen were named as follows: Finance, Trustee G. Muir, building, Trustee J. Addison, supplies, Trustee J. Bradfield, and social and health, Trustee A. E. Thorneycroft.

ROYAL VISIT

Trustee John Barsby was commended for his effort made to have Their Majesties visit Nanaimo.

If Their Majesties do not come to Nanaimo, school children will go to Victoria to see them, if plans of the school board carry.

Trustee Thorneycroft was empowered to have School Supervisors J. Litch and H. Martin make a survey of school children wishing to make the trip, and to seek a reservation of space for them from the reception committee in charge in Victoria, and if necessary charter a train to take the children to the capital. It was suggested that each child be asked to pay 10 cents a week to cover transportation expenses.

IMPERIAL COMRADES

The monthly meeting of the British Imperial Comrades' Association will be held on Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the clubrooms, 717 Courtney Street (opposite the Windermere Hotel). Nomination of officers for the ensuing year will take place.

SAANICH RATEPAYERS

The regular monthly meeting of Ward Four, Saanich Ratepayers' Association will be held in the Marigold Hall on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

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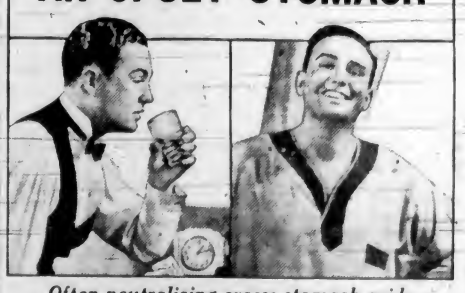
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Sunday, January 15, 1939

WANTON EXPENDITURE

Mr. Dalton J. Little, who is secretary-treasurer of the Citizens Group for Railway Action, has something to say about the proposed expenditure of $12,000,000 by the Canadian National Railways for a new passenger terminal in Montreal. The proposal, to begin with, is out of line with the recommendations of the Duff Commission in favor of co-operation between the two transcontinental railways, and co-operation was decreed by legislation. Mr. Little contends that the proposed expenditure is unfair to the taxpayers of the country, and also to the Senate Committee now engaged in a study of the railway problem. Moreover, he says that the nationally-owned system is not in a position to undertake new capital outlays of an unproductive character.

In elaborating his point, Mr. Little says that joint terminal facilities for the transcontinentals were specially defined as a part of co-operative enterprise; in fact this plan has been submitted to the Senate Committee by Mr. R. C. Vaughan, one of the Vice-Presidents of the Canadian National system, who said: "Joint passenger and freight facilities in the larger centres, such as Winnipeg and Montreal, and at other points, might be worthy of study when capital funds for rearrangement and improvement of existing facilities are available." There is statutory force to the policy of co-operation, and to that extent the taxpayers' pockets should be protected. They will not be if another $12,000,000 is poured out to cover up the hole on Dorchester Street in Montreal, another installment of an expenditure which, when complete, is expected to reach $60,000,000. Joint terminals for the two railway companies could be established in Montreal for $6,000,000 by reorganization work at the Windsor Street terminal of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

PERSONALITY AND MORALS

Dr. Henry Link, who recently produced a widely-read book on "The Return to Religion," has written another volume which promises to rival its predecessor. The earlier book is said to have been the most widely-discussed book of spiritual interest in a decade. The present essay bears the title: "The Rediscovery of Man." By severe compression the outstanding features of a book of seventy thousand words may be outlined and the scope and method of the work briefly set forth. It is a treatise on Personality.

The term personality is properly used to describe the sum of qualities which, taken together, distinguish one person from another. In short, personality is another name for character, and the study of human character is the peculiar province of psychology. Psychology itself is a term which must not be confused with psychiatry or with psycho-analysis. Psychiatry is the treatment of mental diseases. Psycho-analysis professes to investigate the interactions of the "conscious" and the "unconscious" mind. It bases itself precisely upon the doubtful speculations of Freud and others. Psychology deals with human personality or, more familiarly, human character, and to understand human character a scientific study of habits is essential. A mind without habits is as much a contradiction in terms as a factory without tools. The study of Personality is thus an investigation, by a psychologist, of the habits of a normal individual.

It is a matter of common knowledge that the psychologists have invented certain tests intended to measure native intellectual capacity. They now employ personality tests to supplement the intellectual tests, and on that basis assign a personality quotient as well as an intelligence quotient. For this purpose a system has been devised, consisting of a great variety of searching questions. They relate to the favorite occupations, games, and amusements engaged in by the individual, his attitude towards them, and the nature and degree of the interest he takes in them. They relate, also, to his ordinary school studies, his group activities, and his personal hobbies. As a result of very extensive experiments extending over years, standards were set up. It was found, for example, that systematic participation in competitive athletic games and group activities contributed much towards personality. The pursuit of a hobby has some favorable effects. Doing well in scholastic studies appears to have no special bearing on personality, but those young people who liked most of their studies tended to have much better personalities than those who disliked them. Among the major groups of habits that count in a high personality quotient two may be mentioned in some detail. Habits of self-determination such as persistence, doing the less pleasant task first, controlling outbursts of temper, finishing a task once begun, refusing to be discouraged, not complaining about hard luck, are important. Habits of economic self-determination include the habit of making contacts, looking for work, completing a job on time, keeping one's promises, early rising, prudence in spending money, earning one's own pocket money instead of depending, like a sponge, on an unearned allowance, the habit of creating one's opportunities instead of waiting for something to turn up. Other major groups of habits are those of social initiative and adjustment to the opposite sex.

Enough has been said to indicate the scope and method of the study of personality. It remains to say a word about the philosophy of personality. Certain questions relating to personality have been eagerly debated. Can personality be acquired, or is it a gift of Nature? Is it simply a matter of good inheritance and favorable environment and a dash of good luck? Can the habits and qualities involved in personality be developed and cultivated? In short, is personality merely a matter of fate, or can it be achieved by effort? The answers to these questions reveal the existence of two rival theories. Dr. Link does not leave the reader in any doubt as to which of the two theories he believes in. One of them is derived from certain pseudo-scientific concepts. The other is to be found in the New Testament.

You have, on the one hand, the idea that a man is but a cog in a machine, the helpless victim of his environment, and, on the other hand, an insistence upon the man's capacity for development; on the one hand you hear much about man's limitations, while on the other, Christianity emphasizes his possibilities. Mental hygiene says that some people are innocent victims of mental disorder. The doctrine of sin and salvation is a declaration of faith in human personality. The pseudo-scientific conception of the unconscious mind says that if you commit sins you are not responsible. The Bible says that man is born in sin, but can be born again to a better life. Pseudo-science exhorts man to get rid of his inhibitions and live his own life on the principle of unrestrained self-expression. Religion finds the basis of personality not in self-expression, but in self-sacrifice and service. Personality is measured in the Bible by the extent to which the individual has learned to convert his energies into habits and abilities which serve others. In short, the moral law, beginning with the Ten Commandments, furnishes the authentic system of rules which guide and govern us in making the best of life.

Dr. Link makes no secret of his conviction that the political and social muddles of today are directly due to the evil influence of the pseudo-scientific doctrines mentioned above. The records of the post-war years furnish convincing evidence of the corrupting influence of those doctrines upon the morals of individuals. The abandonment of sound personal standards of conduct has naturally led to vicious practices in social life. When the individual has been taught to excuse himself for his moral delinquencies by blaming them upon his environment, it is no wonder that he should be led farther astray by the vision of a perfect social system to be created overnight by political fiat. The man who will make no effort by way of self-improvement, who finds the rules of morality oppressive, wants those rules changed and the economic system reconstructed wholesale so as to relieve the individual from the necessity of effort. This defeatist philosophy wants the State to assume all private debts. It wants a new deal, an inflated currency, a safe job and a fixed stipend for everyone. It is willing, and even anxious, to exchange freedom, initiative, and the possibility of moral progress for a planned economy and a regimented life. "But whoso looketh into the perfect law of liberty and continueth therein, he being not a forgetful hearer, but a doer of the work, this man shall be blessed in his deed."

BETTER OUTLOOK IN U.S.A.

The Washington Review, organ of the United States Chamber of Commerce, believes that the economic position of the country is greatly improved, in fact that the business recession is over. The estimate of The Washington Review is that, in recent months, jobs for 1,000,000 more persons have been found, and that the upward trend of business was not halted by the recent threat of war in Europe. One reason assigned for the recovery is the stronger Conservative element in Congress. Another is that political conditions will not be so disturbing to capital development as during recent years. The optimism that prevails in business circles is greater than for some time, and there is a prospect of real recovery before the end of the year. The hope is widely entertained that Congress will set about the task of modifying bureaucratic restrictions, and thus restore business confidence. It has been these, as much as anything else, which led to the recent business depression.

What an absurd thing it is to pass over all the valuable parts of a man and fix our attention on his infirmities!—Addison.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., January 14, 1939.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

A moderate depression is centred northwest of Queen Charlotte Islands, and pressure is falling over British Columbia. Unsettled, mild weather prevails on the Coast, while over the Interior of this Province it is cloudy and slightly colder.

Sub-zero temperatures are reported in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min.	Max.
Victoria	.06	41	44
Nanaimo	.15	43	43
Vancouver	.15	40	42
Kamloops		26	32
Prince George		16	34
Estevan Point	.04	42	46
Prince Rupert	.08	40	44
Langara	.03	40	44
Atlin	Trace	24	30
Dawson	Trace	6	8
Seattle		40	44
Portland		38	44
San Francisco		46	66
Spokane		32	
Los Angeles		50	64
Penticton		26	
Vernon		23	
Kelowna	.02	23	33
Grand Forks		22	28
Nelson		21	35
Kaslo		28	
Cranbrook		12	28
Calgary		20	32
Edmonton		10	14
Swift Current	Trace	6	12
Moose Jaw		6	8
Prince Albert		6	6
Qu'Appelle		2-	6
Winnipeg	.03	0	14

- Below zero.

SATURDAY

Minimum	41
Maximum	44
Average	42
Minimum on the grass	39

Weather, raining.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.08; wind, NE., 8 miles; raining.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.08; wind, E., 10 miles; raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.28; wind, W., 4 miles; cloudy.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.96; wind, S., 10 miles; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.90; wind, SE., 8 miles; cloudy.

Langara—Barometer, 29.86; wind, SW., 10 miles; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.00; wind, SE., 18 miles; raining.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.02; wind, E., 18 miles; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 30.14; wind, E., 6 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.06; wind, S., 4 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.18; wind, W., 10 miles; clear.

Note and Comment

By Sandham Graves

Son, this is an uneasy age in which to live; but do not let that discourage you. Every age has been uneasy to its contemporaries. Whatever happens, the world is going to need men; and the attributes of a man do not change much from time to time.

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Oh, I know you will hear about the withered orthodoxies of the past; but do not let that disturb you. A second or so before the last trumpet, the world will still be looking for honest men, trained men, able men, men willing to pull their weight in the boat or to take a turn at the oar of another.

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Why, bless you, they will tell you today that you are done with thrift, saving, industry, perseverance, individuality, and all the other things that men have lived by for a good many centuries. Well, you are not. You learn thrift when you're broke; saving to pull up again; industry to set one foot before another; perseverance to reach the smallest goal; and individuality you cannot escape, being born that way.

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They will tell you that private business is dead, and that public business or government must take over. Well, government took over the P.G.E. and left that in the gumbo; pensions, and they crashed; and many other things with similar success. After a while, you will learn that you and your companion are the government; that government never knows a profit; and that you pay the losses. After you pay the losses for a while, you will get the idea.

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Don't look now, but one day you will discover that the sum of all business, private and public, is the sum of human wants, and that these are individual. You will find that business rests upon confidence; and confidence upon being able to know within reasonable limits what is going to happen next. If public business is taking one-quarter of the profits to do one-tenth of the work, something is wrong; and when things get wrong they have almost an uncanny knack of righting themselves.

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There will be those to tell you, son, of the several kinds of money there are in the world; but you will see your way through that. You will find that there is only one kind of money after all, and it is the kind you work for by the sweat of your brain or the sweat of your brow. If you earn it and give it to others to throw away for you, you will be less of a man than I think you are.

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When it comes to talk, why they will fill your ears for you; that they will. But you must learn to discriminate. See who is doing the talking. Inquire why. Ask yourself how he knows, or she knows. Then take your pick as to what you care to believe. Remember, however, the very easiest person to fool in this is yourself, and then, of course, the joke is on you.

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As to faith, religion, and all that, you will have to find your own way. Each one of us does. But you will have a lot of good material to guide you. Some of it has endured for nigh on 2,000 years, and it takes a mighty fine idea to wear that well. If all else fails, look up in the sky some night, and ask yourself what man made all that, or what man shall stop the stars in their courses.

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Learn now, and never lose sight of it; you have a free will. Nobody can take that away from you, unless you let them. If there is anybody holding you back, start by looking to see that it is not yourself. The human animal is the greatest self-holder-backer that was ever created. The bees have three speeds ahead, and no reverse. A horse will pull until he drops. But man spends half his time fighting himself, before he gets going at all. You have a free will. Add purpose to that, and aim as high as you can think.

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All of your life, son, is going to be lived among people of your kind. We, as it were, are your human relations. You will have to learn to adjust yourself to us, queer as we are, so make the best of it. Now, about those relations. People react to you very much as you treat them. You will know how to treat them by figuring how you like it yourself. Some people call it the Golden Rule; but you can call it anything you please. It is a mighty fine rule under any label.

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Cringe before no man, nor be high-handed with anyone. What you have to say in anger, say quietly, or, better still, leave unsaid, because words have a queer, chancy way of going around in a full circle and coming back, as the guide-books would say, "to the point of origin." Neither carry tales, nor receive them; men do not do that, real men, that is. If anyone finds you truly at fault, say so and get it over with; then forget it. A grudge is a fool's package, at best.

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No one can tell you, rightly, "the shape of things to come." If they say they can, beware of them. But when things do come, you will have your pick of the opportunities, even as your forefathers had. Knowledge comes to you from books, and people, and experience; but wisdom you must search out for yourself. It is good hunting. Keep your body clean, your mind bright, and face trouble when you come to it, and not before. It is, as I say, an uneasy age; but then they all were. So, good luck to you, son.

MUSIC TEACHERS MEET

The January general meeting of the Victoria Music Teachers' Association will be held on Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Y.W.C.A. The executive hopes for a good attendance.

COLLEGE TO HOLD REUNION BANQUET

A reunion banquet for all ex-pupils of St. Louis College will be held in the school on January 29 at 6 p.m. An entertaining dinner programme is being arranged by Frank J. Sehl.

As this banquet will provide an opportunity for recalling reminiscences of the early days in Victoria, both the pupils of fifty and more years ago, and those who left the institution more recently will find the affair most interesting.

Archbishop Duke, Vancouver, has signified his intention of being present.

Any ex-student wishing to attend is asked to communicate with either of the following: Mr. Sehl, 2411 Wark Street; W. W. Baines, 1107 Newport Avenue, or C. J. Collins, 1112 Mackenzie Street.

The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Lad's in Deep Water

From our scanty knowledge of the subject, it appears to us that scientific discoveries are being used to a great extent in the raising of babies. Nowadays an infant must have its daily ration of orange juice for vitamin M, specially prepared vegetables for vitamins N, O, Q and R; exposure to the ultra violet light of the sun for a certain time daily, and a host of other odds and ends our forefathers never heard of. In the prime of manhood today we have brawny specimens who were raised on condensed milk, porridge, hunks of beefsteak, and a sip of father's suds on Saturday nights. Will the scientifically-raised babies of this era be as strong and healthy? We shall have to wait and see . . . It is probably too late to make a suggestion now, but we think the 1940 mayor and City Council should devote some thought to the problem of re-assessment of the entire city . . . It has been remarked that in these speedy days nothing goes as fast as money.—G.B.

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Riparian Vagaries

British Columbia land surveyors, at their annual meeting here this week, were told something of the immense amount of re-survey work necessitated by the severe earthquakes that changed the landscape of the Hawke's Bay district of New Zealand in 1931. Earthquakes, however, are not the only causes of extra work for the surveyors and headaches for landowners in that Dominion. New Zealand, particularly the North Island, has a large number of wide, shallow rivers, which have a nasty habit of changing their courses when the heavy rains come, sometimes two or three times in a season. Extensive erosion is a frequent occurrence, and the soil that is washed away from one point is often added to the opposite bank some distance down the river. Not long ago a county council in New Zealand received a humorously-indignant letter from a dairyfarmer who objected to a demand for taxes on quite a large piece of pasture land that had ceased to exist. As a matter of fact, the council was unwittingly attempting to collect two lots of taxes on the one piece of land, for it had already assessed a farmer lower down the river for accretions to his property that proved to be the first farmer's missing field.—R.M.

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Glancing Over Sport

Hockey players in the majors and elsewhere have their superstitions just like athletes in other lines of sports. On the day of the game, Eddie Shore, brilliant defence star of the Boston Bruins, always wears a blue shirt. Mush March, of the Chicago Hawks, insists on being the first one on the ice, and Wally Kilrea, former big leaguer now with the Hershey Bears, won't leave the dressing-room until everyone else has gone . . . Last week Manager Dutton, of the Americans, made another effort to get a defenceman to replace Al Murray. He offered $12,000 for Earl Seibert, of the Chicago Hawks . . . More hockey news from the Eastern front: Lynn Patrick, missing from the Ranger line-up since December 15, with a bad knee, has recovered to the point of a trial skating session. He is expected back for steady workouts within a week . . . George Payne is still with Esquimalt football. The report of his transfer to the City has been denied . . . Poor putting cost Jimmy Todd that 78 in the second round of the $5,000 Oakland open golf meet. He had two 39's . . . New York Shamrock cagers certainly knew they were in a ball game Friday night. The Dominoes set the pace most of the way and then lost a heart-breaker.—J.D.

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Further Proof

Still further proof of Victoria's need for an auditorium was shown Friday evening when a number of fans were unable to see the inter-city amateur boxing show because of lack of accommodation. If more space had been available it is estimated that 300 more persons would have watched the boxers in action. Approximately 600 saw the show, and what a show it was. Action galore in each bout and everything properly handled. Orchids to Matchmaker Louis Callan and other officials of the Victoria Athletic and Hobby Club for their successful venture. May their success continue.—S.T.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

CHECKERS IN BEACON HILL

Sir,—In the morning Colonist of the 12th instant, I read that members of the city parks committee will be on their tour around the parks and beaches. I do hope on this tour you will try and get to the checker board at Beacon Hill Park, and that you will do your level best to have a cover placed over the checker board. As I have stated in previous letters a great many people and tourists make it a daily habit to go to Beacon Hill Park to watch a game of checkers. But if it rains when they arrive their pleasure is spoiled, but if a cover was over the checker board they still could remain and spend a nice afternoon watching the men play checkers. But many a game has been also spoiled on a nice Summer afternoon because the sun is glaring right on the checker board, and you cannot distinguish the checkers, owing to the sunshine right on the board. So now the only thing to do is to have a cover put on the checker board. I may also state that caterpillers fall down your neck watching the game, and that is not pleasant. Hoping this letter will get some action this Summer.

J. TAYLOR.

1330 Rudlin Street, Victoria, B.C., January 12, 1939.

AN APPEAL

Sir,—May I make an appeal through The Colonist to ask visitors who visit at St. Joseph's Hospital if they would buy their candies and smokes for their patient friends who are there from Jack Allwood, who has a tiny space granted him to sell those things, being nearly blind and unable to take outside work. It would be a gracious and kindly act to help one who is trying, under a very difficult strain, to help himself. Only a small commission is given him by the sales of his store.

"True friends help each other
Gladly give and take
Bear with another
For sweet friendship's sake."

(Mrs.) WALTER FINMORE.

1122 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., January 12, 1939.

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sir,—In reply to Mr. W. D. Munro's letter of the 10th instant in which he declares the Catholic Church to be "the worst human institution that ever was" I should like to quote among thousands of similar encomia the tributes of two eminent non-Catholics, Macaulay the historian and Gladstone the statesman. The former says of the Catholic Church:

"The history of the Church joins together the two great ages of human civilization. No other institution is left standing which carries the mind back to the times when the smoke of sacrifice rose from the Pantheon, and when came leopards and tigers bounded in the Flavian amphitheatre. The proudest royal houses are but of yesterday, when compared with the line of the Supreme Pontiffs. That line we trace back in unbroken series, from the Pope who crowned Napoleon in the nineteenth century to the Pope who crowned Pepin in the eighth; and far, beyond the time of Pepin the august dynasty extends. The Republic of Venice came next in antiquity. But the Republic of Venice was modern when compared with the Papacy, and the Republic of Venice is gone and the Papacy remains. The Papacy remains, not in decay, not a mere antique, but full of life and youthful vigor. The Catholic Church is still sending forth to the farthest ends of the world missionaries as zealous as those who landed in Kent with Augustine, and still confronting hostile kings with the same spirit with which she confronted Attila. The number of her children is greater than in any former age. Her acquisitions in the new world have more than compensated for what she lost in the old. Her spiritual ascendency extends over the vast countries which lie between the plains of the Missouri and Cape Horn; countries which, a century hence, may not improbably contain a population as large as that which now inhabits Europe.

"Nor do we see any sign which indicates that the term of her long dominion is approaching. She saw the commencement of all the governments and of all ecclesiastical establishments that now exist in the world; and we feel no assurance that she is not destined to see the end of them all. She was great and respected before the Saxon had set foot on Britain, before the Frank had passed the Rhine, when Grecian eloquence still flourished at Antioch, when idols were still worshipped in the temple of Mecca. And she may still exist in undiminished vigor when some traveler from New Zealand shall, in the midst of a vast solitude, take his stand on a broken arch of London Bridge to sketch the ruins of St. Paul's.

"We often hear it said that the world is constantly becoming more and more enlightened, and that this enlightment must be favorable to Protestantism, and unfavorable to Catholicism. But we see great reason to doubt whether this be a well-founded expectation. We see that during the last 250 years, the human mind has been in the highest degree active . . . yet we see that during these 250 years, Protestantism has made no conquests worth speaking of. Nay, we believe that as far as there has been a change that the change has been in favor of the Church of Rome."

Gladstone declares. She has marched for 1,500 years (since the days of Constantine) at the head of civilization, and has harnessed to her chariot, as the horses of a triumph car, the chief intellectual and material forces of the world; her art, the art of the world; her genius, the genius of the world; her greatness, glory, grandeur and majesty have been almost, though not absolutely all, that in these respects the world has had to boast of. Her children are more numerous than all the children of the sects combined; she is every day enlarging the boundaries of her vast empire, her altars are raised in every clime, and her missionaries are to be found wherever there are men to be taught the evangel of immortality, and souls to be saved.

"And this wondrous Church, which is as old as Christianity and as universal as mankind, is today, after its twenty centuries of age, as fresh and as vigorous and as fruitful as on the day when the Pentecostal fires were showered upon the earth."

I have great respect for the convictions of my non-Catholic neighbors and I feel that Mr. Munro's diatribe does not represent the average Protestant opinion of the ancient faith.

J. W. BELLIS,
Diocesan President Catholic Youth Organization.

525 Rupert Street, Victoria, B.C., January 11, 1939.

USED CHRISTMAS CARDS

Sir,—With regard to Mr. John G. D. Knight's letter in your issue of January 4, in which he speaks of the waste of Christmas cards and asks if there is not some hospital or home that could find use for them.

If Mr. Knight and others who have Christmas cards, and any other kind with pretty pictures on them, will send them to me, I can promise that they will be used for making treasure books to be sent to children's hospitals. I have made a number of them for this purpose, and shall go on making them, if only I can get suitable cards. The names on the cards, I, of course, either cut away or cover over.

Pretty pictures off calenders are also useful for this purpose, as well as Easter cards, birth announcement cards, etc., also clippings, especially short poems, which would be interesting to children. Christmas stickers, gilt stars, etc., are also welcome.

(MRS.) FREDA W. KING.

Port Alice, B.C., January 10, 1939.

DRIVING TESTS

Sir,—With reference to the forthcoming examination of motorists, I feel that it is about time that citizens were given a little more light on the subject.

Whilst, as a whole, I think it is a good measure, I think it leans somewhat to Hitler methods. Apparently no matter how many years of accident free driving, or how good a car you have (covered by insurance), you are to be put to the annoyance and expense of appearing before the inquisition, and woe betide you if you can't answer twenty out of twenty-five questions correctly. I presume in that case you are banished into the outer darkness and you sell your car to the highest bidder.

Many of us are too busy keeping the wolf from the door, or have left school too many years ago, to retain the faculty of memorizing a bunch of questions that in the main would not concern us. If it is a question of number of lights, height of beam, etc., we would get that attended to by garagemen, who make it their business to know those things. Furthermore, since the majority of us have no intention of changing the engine, body or chassis of the car, it hardly seems necessary to acquire a headache trying to remember that the authorities must be notified.

As far as the actual driving test is concerned, we are being kept in such a state of suspense that by the time we arrive at the torture chamber we shall be nervous wrecks. As far as I can see, if we are good drivers, we use busy streets and park in difficult places, but if we feel we are not so hot, we drive and park in less congested places for preference. Most of us know our limitations and adjust ourselves accordingly.

I can well imagine the average citizen who is not too cocksure of himself, taking the test. He arrives sweating blood and full of forebodings, and although he has driven for years without even scraping a fender, he will bungle everything in the test as badly as the rankest tyro.

I feel that if we can prove two or three years' driving with no accidents and no claims on our insurance it should be sufficient proof that we are reasonably capable of handling a car. However, if we must take the test, make it free. We will have to lose time from work to attend, and we are paying enough for the licence without having to pay a yet unspecified amount for something that we have not asked for.

F. BANTLE.

Sooke, B.C., January 9, 1939.

Tides at Victoria

JANUARY

Time of tides (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1939.

Date	H.	M.	Ft.	H.	M.	Ft.	H.	M.	Ft.	H.	M.	Ft.
1	..	..	..	0	53	9.4	..	..	..	16	17	3.0
2	..	..	..	10	24	9.6	..	..	..	18	38	3.1
3	..	..	..	11	04	10.0	..	..	..	19	36	1.4
4	..	..	..	11	46	10.1	..	..	..	20	18	0.9
5	0	30	8.4	7	22	8.2	12	31	10.1	20	58	0.7
6	1	27	6.4	8	38	9.0	13	16	8.0	21	35	0.9
7	2	55	9.6	9	41	7.7	14	06	9.2	22	10	1.3
8	3	33	8.8	10	47	7.3	15	03	9.6	22	00	3.0
9	4	03	9.0	11	57	6.7	16	06	7.8	23	43	3.9
10	7	25	9.1	13	11	6.1	17	20	7.1	..	..	..
11	9	22	4.1	7	56	8.1	14	25	5.3	19	44	9.4
12	0	58	5.1	8	28	6.2	15	26	4.5	22	39	9.2
13	1	16	6.2	8	55	6.3	16	26	3.9	..	..	..
14	..	..	..	9	22	9.4	17	33	3.5	..	..	..
15	..	..	..	9	50	9.2	18	22	2.9	..	..	..
16	..	..	..	10	23	9.3	18	05	3.4	..	..	..
17	0	15	8.6	6	55	8.5	10	57	9	21	0	4.2
18	0	59	8.7	7	53	8.5	11	25	9	23	0	1.8
19	1	46	6.6	8	36	8.2	12	15	9	0	20	4.9
20	2	00	8.5	9	12	9.0	12	52	8.6	21	20	2.3
21	0	08	8.5	9	46	7.8	13	32	8.5	21	50	3.5
22	0	17	9.3	10	32	7.4	14	10	8.1	22	21	3.8
23	0	57	8.2	11	18	7.1	14	55	7.7	22	50	4.4
24	1	44	8.3	12	10	6.6	15	45	7.2	23	16	4.9
25	2	00	8.4	13	09	6.2	16	53	6.7	23	40	4.7
26	1	20	8.6	14	03	6.0	18	24	6.3	23	53	5.4
27	1	35	8.7	14	58	6.0	..	..	..	..	..	..
28	1	50	8.9	15	52	6.2	..	..	..	..	..	..
29	..	..	..	6	15	9.3	16	45	6.4	..	..	..
30	..	..	..	9	50	9.4	17	26	6.7	..	..	..
31	..	..	..	9	40	9.6	18	35	7.1	..	..	..

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of low water on the sill of the Esquimalt Drydock, add 18.6 feet to the height of high water as above given.

ARMY AND NAVY

The annual meeting of the Army and Navy Veterans will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, when new officers for the coming year will be chosen. The finance committee will meet on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., and the executive committee the same evening at 8 o'clock.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of January 15, 1889)

Yates-Austin Wedding—Yesterday, at the residence of J. Stuart Yates, Craigie Lea, Henry Myers Yates, Vancouver, second son of James Yates, Edinburgh, Scotland, was united in marriage to Miss Ellen Austin, eldest daughter of Mr. John J. Austin. Rev. A. L. Parker performed the ceremony, none but the relatives of the contracting parties being present. The young couple start out on their wedded life with the sincere wishes of all their friends for a happy and prosperous career.

Marine Notes—Steamship Mexico will sail for San Francisco this afternoon . . . Sealing schooner Maggie Mac left yesterday for the sealing grounds . . . Steamer Pilot towed the bark Lizzie Williams to Port Townsend yesterday and returned last evening . . . Captain Ingram returned yesterday from Port Townsend, where he has been looking to the bark Enoch Talbot, which put into that port a few days back, leaking. Captain Ingram has stopped the leaks, and the vessel will sail on Thursday.

Burns' Concert—A grand Scotch concert under the auspices of the Y.P.L.A. of the First Presbyterian Church will be held in their hall on Tuesday evening next. The choir will be under the direction of J. G. Brown.

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WATER RATES DECISION IS GIVEN STUDY

Reasons of Finding for Oak Bay Occupy Attention Of Mayor

AMENDMENT STATUTE IS HELD OPERATIVE

Mayor Andrew McGavin and Forrest L. Shaw, city solicitor, yesterday devoted considerable study to reasons given by Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald for his judgment in favor of Oak Bay, which ruled that the municipality was entitled to be supplied with water by the city at prices fixed by the provincial comptroller of water rights.

In Supreme Court, the action was for the price of water supplied in bulk by the plaintiff city to the defendant municipality during January, February and March, 1938, and for a declaration that the city's only duty was to supply water to Oak Bay at rates prescribed by the city's by-law No. 2591, and its amending by-laws, and that the municipality was bound to pay the rates set by such by-laws.

LAYS COUNTERCLAIM

Oak Bay's counterclaim was for a declaration that the city was under a statutory duty to supply water to the municipality, and that the defendant was entitled to be supplied at a rate as from January 1, 1938, to be settled by the comptroller of water rights, under terms of the Oak Bay Act (1910), Amendment Act (1911), and the schedule thereto.

H. A. Maclean, K.C., chief counsel for the city, contended the amendment act was inoperative, inasmuch as it had never been ratified by Oak Bay ratepayers. C. H. Locke, K.C., chief counsel for Oak Bay, claimed the act was operative, and was sustained in the judgment of Mr. Justice McDonald.

GIVES REASONS

It was stated by His Lordship, in part:

"For many years prior to 1909 a private company known as the Esquimalt Water Works Company, pursuant to powers contained in its constituting statutes, supplied water to the Township of Esquimalt and to a portion of the city situate near the latter's westerly limits. The Esquimalt Company had no power to distribute elsewhere. Its source of supply was not excessive and was situate at Goldstream. Early in 1910 the municipality was in negotiation with the Esquimalt Company for the purchase of water, and applied to the Legislature of the Province for legislation which would extend the powers of the Esquimalt Company to sell water to the municipality. The city being determined to hold its monopoly, successfully opposed the legislation. In 1911 the application to the Legislature was renewed and the statute, Oak Bay Act (1910), Amendment Act (1911), was passed though the legislation was again opposed by the city.

HAD NO AGREEMENT

"It is admitted that no agreement was ever entered into with the Esquimalt Company, and hence no such agreement was ever submitted to the electors of the municipality. Mr. Maclean contends that the schedule to the act therefore never came into operation, and that in fact the act is as if it had never been written. Counsel for the defendant, on the other hand, contends that the meaning of Section 27 is this: Having regard to the conditions existing when the legislation was passed, viz., that the municipality could not obtain water elsewhere than from the city or from the Esquimalt Company, pursuant to the powers then sought to be extended to it; that the city in its own interest opposed the granting of such extension of powers and sought to maintain its own monopoly, and that it was estimated that a period of from five to eight years would be occupied in the construction of the water works from Sooke Lake.

EXPLAINS ACT

"It was a condition of the conferring and not of the exercising of the power to contract that the schedule to the act should come into operation. Putting it another way, it is argued that the Legislature may be deemed to have said: 'We now confer the power to enter into the proposed agreement, but at the moment of conferring that power we impose upon and grant to the municipality and the city of Victoria the obligations and rights mentioned in the schedule to the act.'

"In my opinion the contention of the defendant is sound and I am confirmed in that opinion, for what it may be worth, by the fact that it is the view expressed by and acted upon by the city and the municipality year after year until the year 1925, when the city having expropriated the works of the Esquimalt Company sought and obtained from the Legislature the rights conferred by the Statute 16, George V, Cap. 69 and particularly Section 13 thereof.

"To put it briefly, this statute confirms the proceedings of expropriation, winds up the Esquimalt Company, and gives the city the right to supply water to any adjoining municipality owning its own distribution system or to any duly constituted water authority having powers to distribute water by retail . . . etc.' The price of such water, in case of dispute, to be settled by arbitration, such arbitration to be governed by the provisions of the Arbitration Act.

AT ARMS LENGTH

"The city contends it may rely wholly upon the act of 1873. Since 1926 the parties have been at arms length. They have entered into various agreements for the supply of water at rates agreed upon or in one case settled by named arbitrators, but they have in each case, as I hold, maintained the positions which they maintain today. The last of these agreements expired December 31, 1937.

"On the above findings the action must be dismissed and the counterclaim allowed. I have dealt with the merits as I think the parties are entitled to the opinion of the court thereon. Aside altogether from the merits, I think the action must fall upon the narrow and perhaps technical ground that the city has made out no cause of action under the statute upon which it relies in its pleading, viz., the statute of 1873. Under that act it was the duty of the city's water commissioner to fix the rate to be charged the municipality; it was the duty of the city to approve and adopt the rate so fixed. No such rate has been fixed. The rate sought to be charged is taken from the city's by-laws. These by-laws, on their face, do not purport to apply to water sold to another municipality."

From the Attic Window



Viva Duce!—
Romeo and Juliette—
Dizzy Cinema—

By SPY

Viva! Viva! Duce! Duce!! Saluto! Saluto!! . . . Viva Italia! . . . si, si, si! . . .

Make plenty of noise.

Italy's a rocket.

But make plenty of noise, and be ready to kiss or kill at a moment's notice, else you're no gent in Italy.

For no two-legged speaking vehicle can raise more cry and clatter over nothing than a hot-eyed, table-thwacking son of Roma, nor can any of the accepted forms of male (other, perhaps, than a Brazilian dandy from the "hot spots" of Rio de Janeiro) sport more plumes on his hat, or soak his entirety with sicklier perfume, than the average signor that struts the colonades of Torino, or leans, cloaked and sinister, with cigarette smoke curling 'neath a fourteenth century lantern, in the dark alleys of Verona.

Hasst! Emerge from behind that ash can, Toni . . . you're giving us the quivers!

Uhrr!! Can't you smell him—lurking there—with his black hat denting the bridge of his nose, and his black mind a-whirl with dirks and the most diabolical phobias?

Si, si, Toni. You're as full of quirks and dirks as you were in Caesar's day—but graciously forgiven. For, with Art you've eased a sadly artless world, and thus, by Art, you vindicate each son of Italy that e'er sold bad bananas to a blind bambino.

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So, viva Merry Italy. Lived there about seven months. Five passed unbrokenly in San Remo—remaining two evaporated in sporadic leaps between Genova, Milano, Padova, Verona, Venezia, Torino and Merano.

Herewith, base confession that Roma, Florentia and the Bay of Naples were unexplored. However, in diluted self-defence, nearly all towns in Italy reek as pungently of the Caesars and The Arts as the next . . . and, just at random, take Verona, with its Colliseum, almost as large as, and I believe in better preservation than, the one at Roma.

Reflection . . . Verona fairly purred with general excellence. Made a cunning bow, there, by mangling traffic in ten successive one-way streets, and in ten minutes knew every cop in town. But all cops concerned merely saluted, clicked heels and shooed all other traffic into gutters and up side streets, to enable the Inglesa to enjoy full massacre of Verona.

That's the continental way—toujours la politesse toward the "foreigner, so damn stupide" . . .

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And now, pine upon your balconies, and roll your eyes and sigh . . . Romeo, ah Romeo . . . Juliette, my Juliette . . . their shades now hover nigh—for, in Verona, they'll lead you to a certain hallowed street, and soon, beneath an ancient, hand-wrought casement, your guide will murmur impassionedly, "Look, signor, there is the sweet place where the sad Romeo gave heart to lovely Juliette . . . ah, signor, signor, it thumps the heart, yes? . . . and thence he'll guide you to yet a softer tryst—to that gentle, melancholy mound, 'neath which they say the welded souls of Romeo and Juliette sleep in a sanctity that only saints enjoy.

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Irritation . . . actual veracity governing the above is a trifle leaky. However, precisions and exactitudes have no ranking with romance, so Romeo and Juliette can rest peacefully in Verona, while we stroll into a cinema at Cuneo.

Now, shall we take a box at eight lire, or plush at six lire, straight varnish at four, or slivers, up-front, among the garlic-whiffers, at two? Six lire worth of mouldering plush should provide nice enough easement for our trite loins—and now let's focus on the screen. . . .

H'm . . . nothing very cogent there, eh? What fools we were neglecting our Italian grammars in our hey-day. Ah well, I suppose all those zig-zag flashes and blobs mean something's going to happen . . . good Lord, yes . . . look . . . there's a man in a moustache and a top hat rapping outside a damsel's chamber!

My goodness!

He keeps on rapping, with lips curling back from his criss-cross yellow fangs. She gasps—cringing on a couch—heedless of the wicked rumpus at the door.

Good gracious! The chap in the topper jams his crooked lowers into his crooked uppers, fails to claw them apart with his umbrella handle, then kicks his way, snarling, into the room.

The brute!

He's making 'beast-noises' at that defenceless girl. She's squeaking a bit. He's sneaking up on the sofa. Cad!!

Woops! The lights have suddenly gone up! What the? Oh, they're interrupting the film with a news flash . . . yes, by Jove . . . Benito Mussolini's bellowing from a balcony, and everybody in the theatre's standing and yelling "Duce! Duce!! Viva! Viva!" etc., etc.

Dear, dear. What enthusiasm—what "dulce et decorum est pro patria mori," and so on—anyway, it's all over now—Benito has backed off the balcony without jamming his chin in the revolving doors, and the fellow in the film is within a centimetre of the sofa—AND LEERING!

Phew! What's he up to? . . . look . . . he's grabbed that wretched girl by the face, and . . . hey! . . . stop, you swine! . . . she's squeaking again . . . let go her face, you dirty . . . hello . . . lights up again? . . . h'm . . . if it isn't B. Mussolini demolishing another balcony, and we've all got to rise again and yelp "Viva! Viva!!"

Tck! Tck! That's all over. Benito has vanished, and the scoundrel in the bedroom's on all fours, growling and scowling—I'd like to bash his topper in, wouldn't you, the low, revolting rotter—of course you would—and for heaven's sake, let's stop him getting any closer to that nice, good girl with the ringlets and the white stockings on the sofa . . . oh Lord, he's got her by the face again! . . . Stop! . . . swine! . . . butcher! . . . bounder! . . . beast-man! . . . stop! stop!! . . . cripes! . . . lights up again . . . oh lawks . . . Benito on yet another balcony! . . . what on earth's the matter with him? Hasn't he any manners? . . . doesn't he realize that we've all paid six lire to watch a man in a top hat receive fifty whistlers from the knout, for scaring that sweet girl with the ringlets and white stockings out of her senses? . . .

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Si, si, si! . . . The above, slightly in its cups—nevertheless, an Italian cinema moots but a bumpy form of pleasure, and is no place for sluggards or centenarians.

But Italy is charming. Tres bon marche, aussi—on twenty lire per day you can grow fat as Nero—you must go there, immediately, si, si!

INSTITUTE WILL MEET ON FRIDAY

United Service Group Will Hold Annual Meeting and Dinner—Address to Follow

The annual general meeting of the United Service Institute will be held on Friday, January 20, in the Hudson's Bay restaurant.

In accordance with the usual custom, the meeting will be preceded by a reunion of members at the annual dinner, commencing at 7:15 p.m., following which the business of the meeting will be disposed of, including the election of officers for the coming year.

An address entitled "Anti-Aircraft" will be given by Lieut.-Colonel R. F. Fortt, R.C.A.

HEARST PAPERS MERGE

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 14 (AP).—The Milwaukee News, afternoon newspaper, announced today that beginning January 16 it would be consolidated with The Milwaukee Sentinel, which would continue to publish as a morning newspaper. Both newspapers are published by William Randolph Hearst.

BUILDING IS STILL ACTIVE

Suburban Districts Have Continuation of Permits Throughout Winter

Permits for new homes in the suburban sections of Greater Victoria continue to be taken out in considerable numbers all through the Winter months, which have been so mild as to offer no obstacle to construction work being carried on during the entire Winter.

With the exception of Esquimalt, where no permits were issued during the week, there have been five buildings planned for Saanich and one substantial home in Oak Bay. While Esquimalt has had no permits taken out in the Municipal Hall, it is announced from Ottawa that under the Department of Defence, a signal station will be erected at a cost of about $32,000.

In Saanich, six permits in all were taken out, representing an expenditure of $11,322. Of these, five were for buildings.

G. Bird will erect a four-roomed home on Donald Street at a cost of $1,800.

A $2,200 house will be built on Earl Grey Street containing five rooms. The permit is in the name of J. Henson.

Three other homes, in which the names of the builders are withheld, will be erected as follows: A five-roomed home on Earl Grey Street to cost $2,500; a six-roomed dwelling on Cumberland Street to cost $2,800, and a five-roomed home on Blenkinsop Road costing $2,000.

In Oak Bay, Mrs. Elsie Wilfert will build a seven-roomed home on Bowker Street to cost $4,100.



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The annual Hobby Fair will be held on March 17 and 18, or perhaps the week following. The committee in charge will meet on Monday, January 23, at 7:15 o'clock.

Four sub-committees were chosen from the main body, namely: Camp, membership, programme, and hobby clubs.

NATIVE SONS OF B.C.

The monthly meeting of Post No. 1, Native Sons of British Columbia, will be held in the K. of P. Hall, Broad Street, tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

TO OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

Special Programme Being Arranged by Rotary Club For 25th Birthday

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY—Gyro Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.
TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.
THURSDAY—Kinsmen Club, dinner meeting, Spencer's dining-room, 6:15 p.m.; Rotary Club, dinner meeting, Empress Hotel, 7:15 p.m.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the Rotary Club will be celebrated on Thursday evening at a mixed dinner meeting, which will be followed by entertainment and dancing. Estes Snedecor, Portland, Oregon, past president of Rotary International, will be the guest speaker.

Hon. Eric W. Hamber, Lieutenant-Governor; Mayor Andrew McGavin, and a representative of Premier T. D. Pattullo, will be guests of honor.

ROTARY ENTERTAINMENT

Frank Doherty is chairman of the anniversary committee, while Frank J. Sehl is in charge of the programme, which will feature Miss Winnifred Applegate, soprano; the Junior Chamber of Commerce girls' drill team, under the direction of Captain Norman Foster; Thomas Kelway, tenor; S. P. Birley, in a novelty number, and presentations to three charter members. Dancing will continue until 12:30 o'clock.

A suitable anniversary programme has been arranged by the Kiwanis Club for the twenty fourth birthday of Kiwanis International, which will be observed here on Tuesday at noon.

TO ADDRESS KIWANIS

Rev. A. E. Whitehouse will speak on "Kiwanis at the Listening Post," and Harold M. Diggon, past district governor, will talk briefly on "Kiwanis Local and International." An anniversary message from international president H. G. Hatfield, Oklahoma City, will be read by Forrest L. Shaw. The committee on Kiwanis education is in charge of the anniversary programme for the Victoria club, and includes A. D. King, J. Pitcairn Hogg, K.C., Joseph Rose, J. W. Spencer, W. M. Walker, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse and C. G. White.

N. S. Bennett, who for many years was associated with railroad operations in India, will speak to the weekly luncheon of the Gyro Club on Monday. His subject will be "Thirty Years With the Bengal & Northwestern Railway (India)."

The Kinsmen Club will hold its first meeting of the new year on Thursday evening. E. Ronald Whittington, newly-elected president, will name the standing committees for the year.

Announcements

There a Woman whose soul is so dead to beauty thrt she is able to remain indifferent to that most ugly of disfigurements, superfluous hair? No! at. her heart she just hates it—but tears, which are useless, often prevent her from taking the necessary steps to have it removed. Call and see Miss Hanman. Fear may be your companion when you enter her office, but happiness and relief will accompany you when you leave. 503 Sayward Bldg. Victoria. Phone G 7642.

The Victoria Centre of the St. John Ambulance Association will hold its annual meeting January 19, 1939, at room 12, 1110 Government Street (above the General Warehouse), at 8 p.m. Business will include: Financial statement for the year 1938; reports of committees; election of officers for the coming year, and a general summary of the work accomplished by this branch of St. John Ambulance Association. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Are Hitler's Agents at Work in Canada? Hear Rev. C. E. Silcox, national secretary, Social Service Council of Canada, discuss Jewish persecution in Germany and Nazi activity in Canada. Crystal Garden auditorium, Tuesday, January 17, 8 p.m. Auspices, League of Nations Society. Silver collection.

The Officers and Members of Victoria Lodge, AMORC, extend a hearty invitation to national, local, visiting members and their friends, to a social to be held at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, on Friday, January 20. For further information please phone E 1388.

Under the auspices of Children's Aid W.A., an entertainment by pupils of Russian Ballet School of Dancing and Victoria School of Expression, Memorial Hall, Tuesday, January 24, at 8 p.m. Tickets, 35 cents, at door.

We Appeal for Clothes and superfluities to raise money by rummage and superfluities sale to be held shortly. Will call for, or please send to Medical Aid for China, 1426 Government, 2 to 5 p.m. E 4725.

Prairie Club (Saskatchewan Week). Men invited to meet former residents and visitors from Saskatchewan, afternoons, this week, Woolworth Building.

Renee Hairdressing, located for past ten years at Duchess and Fort, has opened a new shop at 1834 Oak Bay Avenue, between Bank and Fell.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, January 17, 2:45 p.m. Dr. H. H. Murphy, "The Conquest of Pain." Ariel trio.

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NEW BUSINESS OPENED IN CITY

Victoria Hearing-Aid Company Established by B. S. H. Tye



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B. S. H. TYE

B. S. H. Tye, of this city, secretary of the Victoria Club for the Hard-of-Hearing, has opened a new business, the Victoria Hearing-Aid Company, with offices at 312 Union Building.

Mr. Tye, a graduate teacher of the Muller-Walle School of Lip-Reading of Boston, has had considerable experience with the hard-of-hearing and their problems. For five years he has been teaching lip-reading at Victoria night schools under the auspices of the Victoria Board of School Trustees. Mr. Tye organized this class in 1934 and helped organize the Victoria Club for the Hard-of-Hearing one year later. He maintains that the hard-of-hearing should do everything in their power to understand conversation. Lip-reading and hearing aids combined give the utmost possible efficiency to anyone with faulty hearing.

The Victoria Hearing-Aid Company has the agency for Western Electric ortho-technic audiphones, and after six months' extensive study of their operation under all conditions, Mr. Tye has no hesitation in recommending them most highly. The company will maintain a complete service for the hard-of-hearing, carrying batteries for all makes of instruments, a full stock of accessories, and repairing all makes of instruments.

There is now an audiometer at the offices which plots on a chart the exact hearing loss of an individual. It shows whether he fails to hear the high notes or the low, whether the person's bone conduction is better than his air conduction or vice versa. This makes it possible for the consultant to know which type of hearing aid will suit the client, and he assembles it forthwith in the office.

The Victoria Hearing-Aid Company is equipped with a consultation room, where the audiometer tests are taken and where the client is assured of complete privacy.

SIXTY DEAD IN AUSTRALIA FIRE

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The death toll for the day mounted to forty-two. Four little children died at Colac when they rushed panic-stricken into the flames, instead of staying by their father, John Robinson.

Robinson covered his wife and four other children with his overcoat and protected them safely with his body as the flames licked by, although he was badly burned himself.

Refugees in threatened districts forsook their worldly possessions, fleeing for their lives to rivers and forest creeks.

Clouds of smoke and dust swept over Melbourne, choking people in the streets.

Want to Buy Best Seats on Route of Royal Procession

INQUIRIES have already been received at the office of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau as to what price will be charged for seats along the procession route of Their Majesties King George VI and Queen Elizabeth. Individuals also have signified their intentions to rent immediately the price of the best seats obtainable. City Hall officials are considering the erection of bleachers along the Royal parade route.

City and District

Official Photo—An official photograph of the Mayor and City Council will be taken at the Cherer Studio, 1110 Broad Street, at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Trial Adjourned—Trial of a motorist charged with being intoxicated while in charge of his car was adjourned in the city police court yesterday until Thursday morning.

Finds Cartridges — Sixteen soft-nosed .41 calibre revolver cartridges were found at View and Quadra Streets yesterday by Constable Wally Andrews.

Machine Skids — Harry R. Eastham, 1745 Bank Street, sustained painful skin abrasions at 8 o'clock yesterday morning when his motorcycle skidded and threw him off at the west end of the Johnson Street bridge.

Building Figures — Permits for construction valued at $12,135 were issued by the city building inspector during the past week. They included a dwelling valued at $3,250, $1,200 alterations to a house, a duplex dwelling costing $3,100 and a new store to cost $3,000.

Civic Service — Mayor Andrew McGavin and the City Council will attend a special civic service in Christ Church Cathedral at 11 o'clock this morning. The fire and police departments and inside and outside City Hall staffs will be represented.

Club Elects Officers—At the annual meeting of the Victoria West Liberal Social Club, officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, E. Otchin; vice-president, S. Sweeney; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. Hillier; executive committee, Mrs. H. Paterson, Mrs. C. Constable, E. Johnson and R. Banister.

Inquest Set—An inquest into circumstances surrounding the death of John William Murphy, forty-seven, will be held under Dr. E. C. Hart, coroner, in Sands Mortuary at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Mr. Murphy was found lying dead on the road at Four Mile Hill early on Friday morning.

In Collision—G. N. Perry, 934 Empress Avenue, informed police yesterday that his automobile was in collision with a bicycle ridden by Mareus Perry, 1354 Pandora Avenue, at Government and Bellevue Streets at 8:50 o'clock in the morning. The latter's bicycle was badly damaged, but he escaped without injury.

Will Display Gold—Native gold worth $30,000 in one piece will be part of the $50,000 exhibit by British Columbia at the San Francisco Fair, provincial publicity officials said yesterday. The province has not bought the gold, which remains the property of the Pioneer Mine; but will make arrangements to secure its safety while on display. It was intimated Hon. W. J. Asselstine is en route to California now to inspect the provincial exhibit.

Passes in London

Word has been received here of the death in London on Christmas Day of the Dowager Verena Viscountess Churchill, only daughter of the third Earl of Lonsdale. Her only son, Viscount Churchill, is married to the former Miss Katherine Bevan, daughter of Hon. Robert Bevan, at one time Premier of British Columbia. A daughter, the Hon. Mrs. Cecil Brassey, also survives.

Cars Collide—Automobiles driven by Alfred C. Falk, 1720 Richmond Avenue, and Ivan Ridley, 2852 Inez Street, collided on the Island Highway near Palmer's Station Road late Friday night. Both sustained considerable damage. G. A. Lindquist, 617 Yates Street, a passenger in Mr. Falk's car, was struck on the head by a bowling ball thrown from the rear seat by the impact. Constable E. F. McKay, Provincial Police, attended the accident.

Is Convicted—William Alexander Pevela, alias William Valley, William Alexander Johnston and John Olsen, was convicted of a charge of vagrancy by Magistrate Henry C. Hall in the city police court and sentenced to serve twenty days in jail at hard labor. Detective Fearon Woodburn stated he found the accused looking through automobiles along Johnson Street on Wednesday. Claude L. Harrison, city prosecutor, read a list of thirty previous convictions against Pevela.

Car Hits Bluff—In attempting to avoid an automobile driven at the summit of the Malahat by Harry Baldock, Langford, a car in charge of Mrs. D. C. Morton, Fairbridge Farm School, ran into a rock bluff and turned on its side at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning. There was a light mist at the time. Mrs. George Owens, Duncan, a passenger in Mrs. Morton's car, complained of internal pains and was rushed to Victoria by Mr. Baldock for examination. Constable W. A. Jaffray, Provincial Police, attended the accident.

Addresses Guild—St. Mary's Men's Guild met on Thursday evening and listened to a stirring address given by Rev. A. E. Whitehouse on "The Future of Democracy." The speaker clearly showed how closely allied were the ideals of democracy and Christianity and emphasized the fact that democracy was being challenged today in a very definite way, and to answer that challenge, individual responsibility must be accepted as one of the principles of our democratic system. Many questions were asked and the subject proved very timely and instructive.

NIGHT SCHOOLS REOPENED HERE

Interesting and Useful Subjects Placed on Curricula For Spring Session

Many interesting and useful subjects have been placed on the curricula of the Victoria night schools under the direction of the City School Board, which commenced the Spring session during the past week in the Victoria High School and the Kingston Street School.

Of particular interest among the many subjects taught at the classes in the High School are art appreciation and art crafts. The lectures on personalities in art are illustrated by colored lantern slides, together with pictures chosen from a large collection of famous paintings. The history of artists and their work is traced from early periods. Canadian and United States artists are specially featured, and the cults of surrealism, realism, futurism and cubism are fully explained. This course of lectures is given on Monday nights.

ART CRAFTS

Art crafts are taught in the Kingston Street School every Tuesday night. The leatherwork embraces the making of purses, bags, belts, pocketbooks, and many other extremely attractive articles of personal use. The decoration of leather by thonging, embossing and staining also is taught.

Block printing, an art of great interest, is practised on linoleum. This instruction is regarded as invaluable to those who wish to paint, as it develops breadth of treatment and good composition.

Other crafts are undertaken according to the requirements of the students, as the tuition is in a great measure personal. The principles of design, however, are taught by the class method.

STRUCK BY CAR

NANAIMO, Jan. 14.—Mrs. Henry Harroll, sixty, of Irwin Street, was taken to hospital at 10:30 tonight, suffering from shock and bruises, after having been knocked down on Commercial Street by a car driven by George Bing, a Chinese of Wallace Street.

WARD ONE CONSERVATIVES

The monthly meeting of Ward One Conservative Association will be held in the Conservative Rooms, Campbell Building, at 8 o'clock, on Wednesday, January 18. A full attendance is requested.

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O. Corbett will speak on "A Century of Science and Sabotage," and Roy Plater will address the youth, at a meeting of Technocracy, Inc., to be held in the Community Hall, Sooke, on January 17, at 8 o'clock.

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PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Royal Oak Institute Is Carrying On Good Work

The annual meeting of the Royal Oak Women's Institute was held in its hall on Thursday afternoon, with Miss K. Oldfield in the chair. There was a large attendance of members and two new members were welcomed. Following the reading of the "Aims and Objects" by Mrs. T. A. Booth, a satisfactory financial report was given by Miss Eva Phillips, the treasurer, showing a substantial credit balance on hand and the sum of $99.75 all that remains of the mortgage.

Following the president's report, Mrs. Jane Duval, on behalf of the institute, presented Miss Oldfield with a bouquet of daffodils. Conveners presenting reports were Mrs. F. Hayward, Mrs. F. Reeves, Mrs. T. T. Hutchison, Mrs. K. Mead-Robins, Mrs. J. Nicholson, Mrs. A. Rankin, Mrs. H. Thompson and Mrs. A. P. Hobbs.

On behalf of the institute, Miss Oldfield presented corsage bouquets of carnations to the retiring secretary, Mrs. P. M. Monckton, and to the treasurer, Miss Eva Phillips. A small gift, as a token of appreciation, was also presented to Mrs. A. Rankin.

DELEGATES NAMED

Delegates were then chosen to attend the Local Council of Women annual meeting, which will be held in Victoria on February 22 and 23, those named being Mrs. Mead-Robins, Mrs. L. H. MacQueen, Mrs. J. Nicholson and Mrs. T. T. Hutchison. It was decided to discontinue the student practice dances and the secretary was instructed to write a letter of thanks to Mr. Roberts for auditing the books.

It was decided that a cash donation be sent to the Queen Alexandra Solarium and tentative plans for a St. Valentine's dance are in the hands of the executive. Arrangements are also being made to have Mr. George Melrose, of the Forestry Branch of the Department of Lands, show motion pictures of the destruction caused by forest fires in the Campbell River district last year. These will be shown about the end of January. Mrs. H. H. Reed and Mrs. K. Mead-Robins were elected as delegates to the Victoria Horticultural Society.

OFFICERS CHOSEN

The election of officers was then held and Miss Oldfield, by unanimous choice, will again be president for the coming year. The vice-president, Mrs. T. T. Hutchison, and the treasurer, Miss Eva Phillips, were also re-elected by acclamation; secretary, Mrs. T. A. Booth, and directors, Mrs. B. Hoole, Mrs. A. Rankin and Mrs. A. D. Grieve.

At the close of the meeting, tea was served by the executive committee, and during the tea hour a shower of beautiful gifts was presented to Mrs. F. Hayward, who has moved into her new home.

Clubs-Societies

Chemainus W.M.S.

The Baptist Women's Missionary Society, Chemainus, held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. E. M. Cook, Mrs. Bristow, the president, in the chair. All items of business were tabled to give time for the guest speaker, Miss Bock, of the Oriental Mission, Victoria. The yearly report showed twelve meetings, and seventeen executive meetings held, and the budget for the year fully raised, including the students' fund. Activities during the year included a shamrock tea, church socials, sponsoring of the drama, "Pillbottle," world day of prayer, with joint women's services, packing of white cross bale, with seventy-four items of hospital supplies, and gifts for Miss Jessie Allen, and her work in India. Bales of old and new clothing were sent to Jackson Avenue. Individual subscriptions totaled $12, and a donation was made towards purchase of a car for a missionary to India.

Following the report, Miss Bock was introduced by the president, and in Japanese costume, gave a splendid description of her work among the Chinese, Japanese, and latterly the East Indian girls and women, of Vancouver Island, including Victoria, Duncan, Hillcrest, Chemainus and Nanaimo, where fortnightly meetings are held. Several photographs of students, articles of interest and curios were on view, and at the close of her address Japanese tea and biscuits were served, after which further refreshments were served in the dining-room, Mrs. Dafoe pouring tea. In addition to the regular members, several visitors attended and expressed interest in Miss Bock's most vivid description of the work being carried on by the Oriental Mission Board.

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Native Daughters

The Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 3, held its monthly meeting recently, with the chief factor, Mrs. R. G. Creech, presiding. Reports of the Local Council of Women, Women's Workroom and the B.C. Historical Society were read. Plans were discussed for the forthcoming grand post session to be held in Victoria in April. A committee composed of Mrs. L. Lorimer, Mrs. Cecil Davies, Mrs. James Brown, Mrs. C. Nickerson, Miss Etta Neelands and Miss Marjorie Gillies was appointed to take charge of the arrangements. A report on the recent Christmas party at the Old Craigflower School was given by Mrs. F. Webb. A Spring tea will be held in the near future, the date of which will be announced shortly. Mrs. R. Cruickshanks is the general convener, with the assistance of Mrs. G. Wright, Mrs. E. Corbett, Miss Thelma Birnie and Miss Margaret Andrews. The attendance prize was won by Mrs. E. Kinsman, and the special prize was won by Miss Muriel Chrow. A social hour followed the meeting and refreshments were served by Mrs. F. Pomeroy, Mrs. T. P. Waters and Mrs. E. Corbett. The next meeting will be held on February 8 at 7:30 p.m.

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Duncan W.A.

The Duncan United Church Association held its first meeting of 1939 at the manse on Friday afternoon. Mrs. T. C. Robson, president, was in the chair. Rev. W. F. Burns assisted in the devotional period. Two visitors, Mrs. Carmichael and Mrs. George Lee, were welcomed. It was decided to take as an objective for 1939 the raising of funds towards the building of a new church. The different circles reported their January meetings. The Get-Together Circle is planning a book tea to be held at the home of Mrs. W. R. Hargin on February 2. Mr. Burns spoke of the annual congregational meeting to be held this month, when the mortgage on the church hall, which was built in 1936, will be burned. Supper will be served to the congregation at 6:30 o'clock, the night of the meeting. It was decided to sponsor a recital by the Ladies' Choral Society, Victoria, in March. Mrs. C. B. Maina was appointed to purchase some needed kitchen equipment. Mrs. E. W. Lee donated three new teapots. March 3 was the date set for the annual Spring supper. Mrs. Sejrup served tea at the close of the business meeting, assisted by Mrs. P. R. Dobson and Mrs. Hargin.

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Tuckabatchee Club

The monthly meeting of the Tuckabatchee Club was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Vera Waller, 2408 Wark Street, with Miss J. Hall presiding. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Miss Marion Stevenson; vice-president, Miss Vivian Busby; secretary, Miss Chrissie Honeychurch; corresponding secretary, Miss Flora Donelly; treasurer, Miss Margaret Matthews; press correspondent, Miss Muriel Sprinkling; group leaders, Misses Margaret Freeman, Evelyn Ledson, Florence Phillimore; social, Misses Sylvia Smith and Dora Waller; sports, Miss Doreen Waller. During the evening Miss Queenie Tabor gave an interesting talk on the life of Beethoven. Miss Florence Phillimore, pianist, and Misses Elsie Bridges and Chrissie Honeychurch, soloists, contributed musical selections. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

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Primrose Lodge

Daughters of England, Lodge Primrose, No. 32, held its regular business meeting on Friday in the S.O.E. Hall with the worthy president, Mrs. P. Humber, in the chair. Mrs. A. James, district deputy, installed the officers for the coming year and was assisted by Mrs. D. Swan, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Gosnel and Mrs. Ellesmore, who received corsage bouquets for their services. Those receiving gifts of plants were Mrs. P. Humber, Mrs. F. Rawnsley, Miss D. Mott, Mrs. H. Tippett and Mrs. Yates. Mrs. P. Humber presented all her officers for the year with corsage bouquets. Mrs. A. Gough was appointed captain, and Mrs. J. Baron and Mrs. F. Rawnsley were chosen escorts. During the installation ceremony, a duet was sung by Mrs. J. Baron and Mrs. J. Stephenson. Choir practice will be held on January 24 at 2 p.m. in the S.O.E. Hall. At the close of the next social meeting, an old-time dance will be held under the convenership of Mrs. E. Bisenden.

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Metchosin W.A.

The monthly meeting of St. Mary's W.A., Metchosin, was held on Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. H. M. Bolton in the chair. Opening prayers were led by Mrs. Bolton, followed by a reading of a portion of Scripture. Mrs. G. F. Wier, literary secretary, read an article, "The Silent Millions of Japan," from The Readers' Digest, and also the introduction to "Harvesting the Valley." The study book for the year will be "Builders of the Indian Church." The meeting voted $10 to be used for Dorcas work, and in addition material will be purchased for baby garments. A free-will offering will be taken for the first half of the year, at the February meeting. It was decided to hold a "St. Patrick's Tea" on March 17, in the Community Hall. The members adjourned to enjoy tea served by Miss K. Chegwin.

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Cathedral Parish Guild

Mrs. G. H. Bissell was re-elected president of the Women's Parish Guild of Christ Church Cathedral on Friday at the annual meeting held at the Memorial Hall, Very Rev. Spencer Elliott, Dean of Columbia, in the chair. The other officers elected are as follows: Honorary president, Mrs. H. E. Sexton; honorary vice-presidents, Mrs. Spencer Elliott, Mrs. H. J. Wasson and Mrs. Chrow; first vice-president, Miss Renny; second vice-president, Mrs. A. J. Dallain; secretary, Mrs. George Miles; treasurer, Mrs. G. Richardson. Five new members were welcomed at the annual meeting. The guild was warmly congratulated upon its good work during the year by the bishop and the dean. Tea was served by Mrs. J. W. Robinson and her committee.

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Chemainus W.A.

A delightful get-together and surprise party was given for Mrs. Alex Work, a prominent and faithful worker in Anglican societies in Chemainus for many years. Members of the evening and afternoon branches of the W.A. and Altar Guild and friends numbering nearly thirty joined in an evening of merriment and music, culminating in a blindfold game during which the hostess was given a basket of useful kitchen articles for her new home. Mrs. Porter, W.A. president, spoke on behalf of the guests, thanking Mrs. Work for her good sportsmanship over a period of years, and the pleasure it gave the members to show, in a small way, their appreciation of her work.

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Sooke W.A.

At the annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Sooke branch, Canadian Legion, the following were elected to offices: President, by acclamation, Mrs. F. Rumsby; first vice-president, Mrs. R. Strong; second vice-president, Mrs. D. W. Ferguson; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. P. W. de P. Taylor; executive, Mrs. H. Hewlett, Mrs. J. Gillett; sick committee, Mrs. F. Rumsby, Mrs. J. Martin and Mrs. R. Seymour. Investigating committee, Mrs. G. H. Jones, Mrs. J. Collins. The first executive meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. P. W. Taylor.

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T.V.A. Auxiliary

The monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Tuberculous Veterans, followed by the annual meeting immediately afterwards, will be held in the Tuberculous Veterans' clubrooms, Thursday at 2:30 p.m. sharp. As the election of officers will take place, members are asked to make a special effort to attend.

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Britannia W.A.

The W.A. to Britannia Branch, No. 7, Canadian Legion, resumed its bi-monthly social evenings on Thursday in the clubrooms. Court whist was played. Prizes were won by Mrs. R. Burns, Mrs. A. Gornall, Mrs. A. E. Hall, Mrs. M. Carter and Mr. W. H. White. Refreshments were served by Mrs. L. Quaintance and her staff.

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Rebeka Lodge

Members of Carne Rebekah Lodge, No. 45, are asked to attend church service at the Church of Our Lord, Free Church of England, this evening at 7:15 o'clock, to commemorate the founding of Rebekah Odd Fellowship. Members of Colfax Lodge, visiting members, and Theta Rho Girls are invited.

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Conservative L.A.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Ward Three Conservative Association will hold a variety concert and community singing in the Conservative Rooms, Campbell Building, on Thursday, at 8 p.m., to which the public is invited. It is hoped to have as guest speaker Mr. Herbert Anscomb, M.P.P.

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St. Mark's W.A.

St. Mark's W.A. met on Tuesday and plans for the season's work were made. There will be two meetings each month, the first for business and the second for social and educational purposes, with a hostess to prepare tea.

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Britannia Lodge

Britannia Lodge, No. 216, L.O.B.A. will hold its business meeting in the Orange Hall on Tuesday when second degree work will take place. Plans are being made for a card game and social at the next meeting.

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B.A.O.B. Auxiliary

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Pride of Victoria Lodge No. 4567, B.A.O.B., will hold its regular card game in its hall, Yates and Langley Streets, on Wednesday at 8 p.m. There will be prizes and refreshments.

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Typographical W.A.

The Women's Auxiliary to the local Typographical Union will hold a bridge tea on Thursday at 2:15 p.m. in the S.O.E. Hall, Broad Street. All printers and their wives are invited.

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Purple Star Lodge

The regular business meeting of Victoria Purple Star Lodge, L.O.B.A. No. 104, will be held in the Orange Hall on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Initiation will take place. Drill practise will be held on Tuesday at 2 p.m. sharp.

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Columbia W.A.

The Diocesan Board of Columbia W.A. will meet on Friday at 11 a.m. in St. John's schoolroom. Mrs. F. V. Venables will give a talk on her recent visit to Alert Bay.

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Army and Navy W.A.

The monthly meeting of the Army and Navy W.A. will be held on Tuesday evening. Nominations will be received.

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C.C.F. W.A.

The C.C.F. Women's Auxiliary will meet on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Bowden, 119 Moss Street, at 2:30 p.m.

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Solarium W.A.

The Solarium W.A. will meet on Thursday at 2:30 p.m. at the Solarium Office, Pemberton Building.

St. Joseph's Alumnae

St. Joseph's Hospital Alumnae will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday in the Nurses' Home.

C.G.I.T. NOTES

FIRST UNITED

An informal meeting was held by the Canadian Girls in Training Group of the First United Church on Friday evening. Representatives from each group spoke on the work which her group had done during the previous year. Those who took part in the meeting were Misses Rita Millhouse, Marian Conibear, Agnes Le Bus, Joan McKinnon, Jean Hopkins and Peggy Pepper. The work included study of the C.G.I.T. purpose, Christmas cards, making scrapbooks, ornaments, booties and study of photography. Some of the groups have adopted a family to look after and write to. Preparations are being made for the mother and daughter banquet and the church service, to be held in February.

A Recent Bride and Groom



MR. AND MRS. R. A. DUNNETT
Who Were Married Here Recently. The Bride Was Formerly Miss Elsie Brooks.—Photo by Ken McAllister.

Bright-Eyed Little Victoria Child



PATRICIA ANN MILLIKEN

LITTLE daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Milliken, 2723 Victor Street, has just had her first birthday. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Milliken, Pembroke Street, and of Mrs. A. G. Brother, 1714 Hampshire Road. Photo by Savannah.

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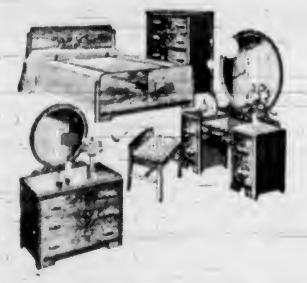
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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Women Will Form New Auxiliary Service Corps

First Public Meeting and Rally to Take Place on Tuesday Evening—Charter Members Will Form Officers' Group

The first public meeting to form a women's service club, modeled on the lines of the Auxiliary Territorial Services in England, will be held on Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Hard-of-Hearing Club rooms, Government Street, above M. A. W. Bridgman's shop. The meeting is open to all women between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years who are British subjects, have a good bill of health and who are capable of driving a car.

For several months tentative plans have been formulated by the organizers, headed by Mrs. Hugo Rayment, and the proposed company of officers is as follows: Commandant, Mrs. Rayment; adjutant, Miss Audrey Hooper; ensigns, Miss Jean MacLennan and Mrs. Ben Hethey; second ensigns, Mrs. N. R. Kennedy, Miss Elizabeth Edwards, Miss Marjorie Brown, Miss Ines Carey and Miss Kathleen Greer. Mrs. H. A. Tomalin is the senior leader.

It has been felt that an organized group of women might eventually become an auxiliary of the Canadian non-permanent active militia unit, and training will be given by able instructors in such subjects as motor mechanics, first aid, map-reading, clerical duties, anti-gas instruction, commissariat course and military drill. If the group becomes a military unit, uniforms, such as that worn by the English Auxiliaries, will be worn.

The ten charter members, who will form the company of officers, have already passed their first aid tests and have obtained their St. John Ambulance certificates.

The aims and objects of the auxiliary will be explained at the meeting on Tuesday by expert speakers and it is hoped that all women interested in the scheme will be present. Further information may be obtained from Mrs. Rayment, E 5320; Miss A. Hooper, E 9575, or Miss M. Brown, G 4248.

Miss Jones Appointed To Y.W.C.A.

Miss Doris Jones, St. Catherine's, Ontario, has been appointed general secretary of the Y.W.C.A., Victoria, in place of Miss Helen Kirkwood, who leaves today for Eastern Canada, on her way to England. Miss Auger, Vancouver, has been appointed to succeed Miss Johnson as house secretary. Announcement of the appointments was made at a meeting of the board of directors of the Y.W.C.A. held on Friday afternoon, at the home of the president, Mrs. B. S. Helsterman, Shasta Place.

Miss Jones is a graduate in social service and has had eight years' experience in the St. Catherine's Y.W.C.A., where she succeeded Miss Blackley, who was at one time in Victoria. Miss Auger, who will arrive here tomorrow, is a graduate of Macdonald College, Montreal, and has had seven years' institutional experience.

During the tea hour Mrs. H. M. Cassidy, whose resignation from the board was accepted with regret, and Mrs. John Baxter presided at the tea table. The presentation of a leather purse to Miss Kirkwood and a box of handkerchiefs to Miss Johnson, was made on behalf of the board by Miss Kirkwood. Members of the Y.W.C.A. staff joined the board members for tea.

Plans were made for the annual meeting to be held at a dinner at the Y.W.C.A. on Tuesday evening, February 14. Further announcements regarding the speaker and programme will be made later.

SOCIAL EVENING PLANNED

Ward Five Liberal Association will hold a card party and social evening at Liberal Headquarters, on Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all members of the association and their friends.

Witty Kitty

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM



An optimist is he who thinks a Winter vacation is the sole benefactor of health and happiness.

Are Charter Members of Women's Corps



Mrs. Hugo Rayment (Right) and Mrs. Ben Hethey (Left), Two of the Organizers of the New Service Corps.

Social and Personal

Entertains Friends

To celebrate the marriage of her eldest son, Flight-Sergt. Robert Idris Thomas, of the R.C.A.F., to Miss Aileen Stevens, Ottawa, which took place at Ottawa on Thursday, Mrs. M. E. Thomas entertained a few friends at her home on Belmont Avenue on Thursday afternoon. A toast to the bride and groom, wishing them every happiness, was proposed by Mrs. W. Gurney. On behalf of their friends, a lovely silver cream and sugar set with matching tray was presented to Mrs. Thomas as a wedding gift for her son and his bride. During the afternoon Mrs. W. Gurney, who is celebrating a birthday this week, was very pleasantly surprised when Mrs. R. T. Williams, on behalf of a few friends, presented her with a beautifully hand-worked woolen cushion done in lovely shades of rose. Tea was served during the afternoon with Mrs. R. T. Williams and Mrs. H. Mountain assisting the hostess. Later a number of the guests were served dinner from an attractive table set with carnations, bonbons and mauve candles. Housie-housie, lexicon and fortune telling as well as solos by a number of the guests and group singing by all helped to make this a happy occasion. Those present were: Mrs. R. T. Williams, Mrs. W. Gurney, Mrs. W. Jones, Mrs. W. C. Williams, Mrs. W. P. Jeune, Mrs. M. Lewis, Mrs. J. C. Williams, Mrs. S. James, Mrs. B. Rock, Mrs. J. L. Mason, Mrs. H. Mountain, Mrs. L. Prior, Mrs. W. Hill, Mrs. R. Evans, Mrs. T. C. Jones, Miss Celia Lewis, Miss Helen Thomas and Mr. David Evans.

Miscellaneous Shower

Miss Lois Macmurchie and Mrs. Bruce Macmurchie were joint hostesses on Friday evening at the home of the former's parents, 2404 Cook Street, when they entertained with a miscellaneous shower in honor of Mrs. Robert Noble, Jr., formerly Miss Kay Hall. The reception rooms were decorated with gold chrysanthemums, pussy willows and daffodils. The gifts were piled on a lace-covered card table with a high decoration of crepe paper. When the guest of honor arrived she was presented with a corsage bouquet of yellow rosebuds and maidenhair fern. After the gifts had been presented, Mrs. Gordon Page played piano selections and all the guests joined in a sing-song. Refreshments were served from the dining-room, the table being covered with an Italian cut-work cloth, centred with daffodils and fern in a slender black crystal vase, flanked by daffodil yellow candles in black holders. The guests present were Mrs. J. D. C. Macmurchie, Mrs. Alex Main, Mrs. Ernest Peden, Mrs. Harry King, Mrs. Gordon Page and Misses "Billy" Hall, Edna Wallace, Molly, Kay and Ruth Crowhurst, Aileen and Margaret Carr, Mary Hewitt, Eleanor Peden, Lilian Stokes, Gay Stewart, Sylvia Lambrick and Grace Gibbons.

Hostesses at Shower

Misses Iris Scott and Elsie Robinson entertained at a miscellaneous shower recently at the home of Mrs. H. Robinson, 2545 Vark Street, in honor of Mrs. Frank Marshall, formerly Ethel Storey. The gifts were concealed in a basket decorated in colors of pink and white. The bride was presented with a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. The evening was spent in games and the prizes were won by Mrs. C. Knowles, Mrs. G. Ball, Mrs. W. Paine, Miss Margaret Storey, Miss Rose Humphries, Miss Mary Allen and Miss Muriel Farrell. Refreshments were served. The invited guests were Mesdames J. Storey, H. Robinson, A. Marshall, C. Knowles, W. Paine, E. Abercrombie, G. Ritz, G. Ball, O. Jacobson, H. Robinson, Jr., L. Dicks, and Misses Mary Allen, Glee Hurst, Mary Alexis, Margaret Kerr, Myrtle Lyle, Lillian Bell, Eileen Essler, Mae Peden, Olive Cosgrove, Evelyn Rose, Winnie Forde, Muriel Farrell, Rose Humphries, Pat Rhodes, K. Miles, Ruth Williamson, Mabel Moore, Mildred Dickinson, Margaret Storey, Viola Rowland, Margaret Paterson and Edna Robinson.

Farewell Party

A farewell party in honor of Mr. Ian Roy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Roy, Wellington Road, who is leaving this month for England, where he will join the Royal Air Force, was given by a number of his young friends on Friday evening in the Colquitz Hall. Games and dancing were enjoyed, and after refreshments had been served, a leather travelling bag, accompanied by the good wishes of the guests, was presented to the guest of honor by Mr. Gilbert McNutt, and all joined in singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." Those present included Misses Nora Plaxton, Christine Lahmer, Grace Hodgson, Evelyn Burow, Jean Booth, Margaret Burow, Doris Preece, Patsy Gilham, Victoria and Goldie Rodman, Muriel Simpson, Pamela Mudie, Alice Foster, Myra Hodgson, Betty Austin, Molly Raper, Mrs. L. Burow, and Messrs. Donald Simpson, Albert Travis, Joe Rainer, Stuart Simpson, Bob Simpson, Ted Plaxton, Allan Ritz, Gilbert McNutt, Jack Humphries, Stuart Hodgson, Bob Burow, George Meadmore, Kenneth Gilham, Alan Lahmer, Sidney Clark, Alfred Evans and Jim Horwood.

Gave Birthday Party

Mrs. W. N. Sheffield, Windsor Road, entertained yesterday afternoon at a birthday party for her son, Master Urquhart Sheffield, who was celebrating his eleventh birthday. The boys attended the moving picture, "The Renegade Ranger," and afterwards returned to Mrs. Sheffield's house for tea. A decorated birthday cake with eleven lighted candles held the place of honor on the tea table, which was prettily arranged. Many games were enjoyed after tea. Those present were Masters Richie Martin, John Richardson, Bill King, Donald Humble, Donn Carmichael, Alan and Ronald Wilson, Brooke Stephenson, Richard Paterson, Michael and Donald Wilson, Michael and Peter Powell.

Badminton Club Dance

The Victoria Garrison Badminton Club will hold a dance on Saturday next at the Armoury following the finals of the Vancouver Island Badminton championships. Dancing will commence at 10 o'clock and supper will be served later in the evening. The committee in charge of arrangements includes Misses Elizabeth Stewart, Joan Fortt, Florence Oates, Doreen Swayne, and Commander Edwards and Mr. John Hall.

Annual Party

The annual party for children of the parish and Sunday school of the Queen of Peace Church, Esquimalt, was held yesterday afternoon in the church hall. About sixty children attended. Games were enjoyed before tea, which was served at tables arranged with white and pink chrysanthemums and pussy willow. After tea, the children received ice cream, candy and oranges, and were later entertained by a Punch and Judy and a marionette show by Mr. John Gow. The party was convened by Mrs. H. Temple, who was assisted by Mrs. Hammill, Mrs. P. O'Leary, Mrs. T. O'Neill, Miss Isabel Black, Mrs. H. Craven and Mrs. C. Spencer.

Party for Bride-to-Be

The Misses Betty and Margaret Smedley, Langford, held a cup and saucer shower on Thursday afternoon at their home in honor of Miss Adela Yates, who is to be married next week. The gifts were presented in an artistically decorated box topped by a pretty bride in a satin gown and veil. Tea was served to the guests who included: Mrs. J. Stuart Yates, Mrs. Austin Yates, Mrs. W. Bradley, Mrs. H. A. Hincks, Mrs. H. Simpson, Mrs. H. Fisher, Mrs. A. Cooper, Mrs. F. Smedley, Misses Eileen Hincks, Frances Wale, Johanna Palson and Elizabeth Welch.

Empress Hotel Supper Dance

Three new dance hits were the feature numbers played by the orchestra last night at the weekly supper dance in the crystal ballroom of the Empress Hotel. They were "F. D. R. Jones," "Ferdinand the Bull," and "The Masquerade Is Over." Among the hosts of some of the larger parties were Count de Forras (High River, Alberta) with six; Mr. S. E. Neville with eighteen; Mrs. C. R. Bull (Kelowna) with eight; Mr. A. C. Griffiths with six; Mr. Douglas Hunter, Mr. H. B. Pratt and Mr. I. McQueen each with six guests.

At Empress Hotel

Visitors to Victoria who registered at the Empress Hotel yesterday included: Miss Lillian Sullivan, Miss G. Tyrrill, Raymond R. Frazier, Seattle; John Bogris, Salt Lake City; J. L. Carr, Boston; J. A. Smithies, San Francisco; George Zabriski, New York City; E. B. Tanner, Portland; W. A. Ronald, H. B. McLeod, C. Peters, Winnipeg; Miss M. R. Ashton, Miss M. B. Talling, Miss Joanne Finning, Miss Ella B. Pottinger, Mr. and Mrs. F. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Drost, and T. G. Norris, K.C., Vancouver.

Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Craven, 36 Howe Street, entertained yesterday afternoon in honor of their son, Austin, who was celebrating his fourteenth birthday. During the afternoon the guests enjoyed "Thanks for Everything" at the Dominion Theatre, later returning to the host's home for tea. The tea table was centred with a large decorated fruit cake with fourteen candles. The invited guests were: Dean Atkin, Eric Dowdall, Charlie Turner, Jim Conyers, Gordon Elworthy and "Buddy" Rose.

Dinner Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harper, who came to Victoria several months ago from Winnipeg and are living on Newport Avenue, were hosts at a dinner party at the Oakbay Beach Hotel last evening in celebration of their silver wedding. The table, arranged with silver and white place cards, was illuminated by tall candelabra with yellow tapers and had as its centrepiece a beautiful Peking glass tree. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon, Colonel and Mrs. Bingham, and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sweeting.

Paperchase Despite Rain

Undaunted by prospects of a thorough drenching, twenty-one members of the Victoria Riding Club met yesterday afternoon to enjoy another of the regular paperchases. Commander C. H. R. Slingsby and Mr. K. R. F. Denniston, as hares, set a long and interesting course. Later Miss Daphne Nunns was tea hostess and members were asked to meet promptly at 2.30 p.m. on Saturday, January 21.

Leaves for Jamaica

Mrs. Diana Watts, Guinevere Place, Queenswood, left yesterday afternoon for San Francisco and will sail on Monday for Jamaica, where she will spend a few months on a lecture tour. Mrs. Watts has lectured in Jamaica on previous occasions and has been invited to return. She expects to be back in Victoria at the end of March.

Week-End at Deer Lodge

Among the Victorians skiing at Deer Lodge in the Olympics this week-end are Dr. and Mrs. W. E. M. Mitchell, Miss Pam Mitchell, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Elkington, Dr. and Mrs. R. Scott-Moncrieff, Miss Ethne Gale, Miss Moffatt, Mrs. R. A. Hunter, Mrs. F. O. St. John, Messrs. M. Davis, E. Harris, W. Dillabough and J. McAllister.

From Tanganyika

Dr. and Mrs. G. R. C. Wilson and their small son, who arrived here last week aboard the Ss. Empress of Russia from Tanganyika, West Africa, are spending a few days at the Oakbay Beach Hotel before sailing via the Panama Canal for England.

Farewell Party

Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Cassidy were the guests of honor at a party given on Friday evening by Dr. and Mrs. Allon Peebles, Newport Avenue. Dr. Cassidy will leave for the South today, and Mrs. Cassidy and their children will join him in a few weeks' time.

Here for Week-End

Miss Eileen Pendray, Beach Drive, entertained at the tea hour yesterday at the Empress Hotel for her friend, Miss K. Kermode, who is here from Ladysmith to spend the week-end with her.

To Join Air Force

Mr. Ted Waring, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Waring, 3416 Bethune Avenue, has left to join the Royal Canadian Air Force at Trenton, Ont.

Visiting in Vancouver

Miss Margaret Carney, Linden Avenue, has gone over to Vancouver and will spend several weeks with her aunt, Mrs. H. F. Montgomery.

Returned to Mainland

Mr. Lloyd Green, who has been visiting in the city and in Nanaimo during the past week, has returned to his home on the Mainland.

At the Hotels

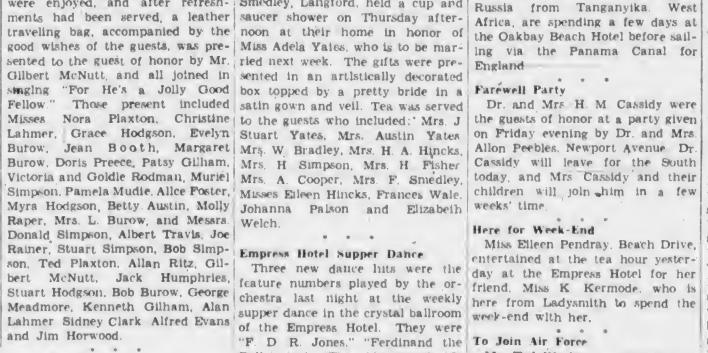
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Actress: "Tomorrow evening, darling, I make my debut. Send me flowers—lots of flowers."

Her Boy: "Oh, don't be so pessimistic, dearest."

Birthdays Celebrated by Three Children



WILLIAM CARSON — RUTH ERIKSON — EUGENE ANDREW ESTLIN

In this trio of attractive youngsters are William Carson, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Carson, Duncan, a year old on December 16, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. William Murphy, 2312 Vancouver Street, and Mr. and Mrs. William Carson, Vancouver; Ruth Evelyn Clapham Erikson, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Erikson, 908 Arcadia Street, two years old this month and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Clapham, "Woodly Gill," Metchosin, and of Mr. and Mrs. W. Erikson, Front Street; and young Eugene Andgew Estlin, just a year old, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Estlin, 2856 Parkview Drive, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Estlin, Vancouver, formerly of Victoria, and of Mrs. D. Black, Victoria.—Photo of Ruth Erikson by Savannah.

Music Pupils Give Concert

The pupils of Miss Dermot Baillie, 2465 Epworth Street, Oak Bay, entertained their mothers and friends at a recital on Friday afternoon.

Those taking part were Jean Clayards, Peggy Cook, David Cook, Janet Denniston, Myfanwy Gatehouse, Sheila Gibbs, Margery Lindgren, Noreen, Kathleen and Lois Nairne and Freddy Richardson.

The honor roll and first prize were won by David Cook, and the second prize by Freddie Richardson.

A special point of interest was the presentation of "Goldilocks and the Three Bears," a short operetta acted by four of Miss A. Ripley's kindergarten pupils: David Proudfoot, Margaret Coverdale, Barry Roome and Margaret Cameron. Lois Nairne, aged five years, acted as accompanist for this operetta.

St. Mark's Church Selects Officers For Coming Term

QUALICUM BEACH, Jan. 14.—Increased attendance at all services during the year was reported by the vicar, Rev. G. Arthur Bagshaw, in his review of the year's activities at the annual meeting of St. Mark's Church held in the Community Hall here. All liabilities have been met, and an excellent financial statement was presented by Col. A. Playfair. Reports were read of the ladies' guild and the A.Y.P.A. branch, and the election of officers for the coming year resulted as follows: Col. A. Playfair, people's warden; J. V. Wilkinson, vicar's warden; committee, Miss H. Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. G. Mant, Miss R. O. Stewart, Mrs. J. C. Bailey, C. H. Jarvis, R. I. Knight, H. W. Coombs, and F. Thrall; envelope committee, Mesdames J. V. Wilkinson, J. L. Stevens, J. C. Bailey and Mr. Jarvis, lay delegate to synod, Col. A. Playfair; delegates to ruridecanal conference, Mesdames C. H. Jarvis, W. W. Thrall and G. Mant. At the conclusion of the meeting the vicar spoke briefly, thanking all who had helped in the work of the church during the year.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 14 (AP).—It cost Samuel Haerr $200 to celebrate an addition to his family—exclusive of hospital and doctor bills. Haerr returned home and proudly lighted a cigar. Dropping ashes ignited a chair in the seat of which were hidden two $100 bills. They burned.

Gives Able Talk About Composers

An excellent talk on "the Life of Edward Grieg," by John Campbell, one of the young members of the intermediate branch of the Musical Art Society, was the highlight of last night's intermediate branch programme at the Truth Centre, Fort Street.

"An Evening With the Northern Composers" was the subject for the occasion, and showed the resourcefulness of the young people in discovering relevant material. The programme convener was Ursula Hills, and the parent society was represented by Mrs. R. D. McCaw and Miss Beatrice Griffin. Myrtle Shaw gave a brief talk on Dallez Frantz, who is to come here under Community Concert auspices.

Helen Kent won the draw for the Community Concert ticket presented by Miss Agnew. Announcement was made that the intermediate's dance would be held on Friday, January 27, at the Russian Ballet Hall, just beside the Truth Centre on Fort Street. At the close of the programme last night, refreshments were served.

THE PROGRAMME

Following were the numbers: Piano duet, Rae and Marian Miller; "Peer Gynt Suite" (Grieg); vocal solo, Hilda Newton (accompanied by Ursula Hills); "My Johann" (Grieg) and "Brown Bird Singing" (Haydn Wood); piano solo, Netta Hunter, "The Butterfly" (Grieg); piano solo, Nellie Sims, "To Spring" (Grieg) and "Mother's Song" (Palmgren); vocal solo, Dorcas Muir (accompanied by Eileen Hicky), "The Nightingale" and "Thy Deep Blue Eyes" (Edward Larssen); piano solo, Ursula Hills, "Suite" (Grieg); piano solo, Francis MacIvor, "The Norwegian Bridal Procession" (Grieg); vocal solo, June Dewar (accompanied by Miss Lyster), "My Lover Is a Fisherman" and "Charming Chloe"; piano solo, Betty Hemmingesten, "Romance" (Sibellus); vocal solo, Phyllis Cornett (accompanied by Miriam Given), "The Dancing Lesson" (Herbert Oliver); "Songs My Mother Taught Me" (Dvorak); piano solo, Robin Wood, "Berceuse" (Grieg).

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Church Choir Has Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of St. Matthias' Church Choir was held in the vestry, when officers elected for the year were: Mrs. Riden, president; Mrs. Malcolm, vice-president; Mrs. L. Edwards, secretary-treasurer, and Miss Moorhouse, librarian.

The meeting was brought to a close by the rector, Rev. Alan Gardiner, who thanked the organist and choir for their devotion and co-operation throughout the past year.

Y.P.S. NEWS

UNITED COUNCIL

The United Young People's West Coast Missions committee delivered another 300 pieces of better-class literature during the past week for Rev. U. Laite's mission boat. Additional donations may be forwarded to Miss Evelyne Wright, council secretary, at 1031 McCaskill Street, City.

The press committee will publish a second bulletin early next month. Members of all United Young People's Societies in the Lower Island Y.P. Union are invited to submit guest editorials, short stories, original poems and essays for publication. These may be sent to Miss Marianne Cornish, press secretary, 706 Kings Road.

The United Y.P. Congress will be held during the week-end of January 28 and 29, when special young people's services will be held. Both Rev. Horace C. Burkholder, field secretary, and Mr. Bert Fiddes, of the Tuxis Boys' Parliament organizing committee, are expected to be present. All United Y.P.S. members are invited to attend the leadership training discussions, the recreational period in the Fairfield gymnasium, and the banquet in the Fairfield Church.

Plans for the forthcoming Young People's Drama Festival and the oratorical contest will be under way soon. A great many entries are expected this year, it was indicated from various sources.

There will be an informal discussion this afternoon at the Y.M.C.A. at 3 o'clock, to which the British Columbia provincial fellowship committee invites interested members to attend and to give suggestions.

Entertainment Being Given to Purchase Wool

Under the auspices of the Children's Aid Women's Auxiliary, an entertainment will be given by the Russian Ballet School of Dancing and the Victoria School of Expression, jointly, in the Memorial Hall on Tuesday, January 24, at 8 p.m. The proceeds will be used by the auxiliary to purchase material, wool and other things needed in connection with its work for the wards of the society, which number approximately ninety children.

INSTITUTE TO MEET

METCHOSIN Jan. 14—The annual meeting of the Metchosin and District Farmers' Institute will be held in the Community Hall on Tuesday at 8 p.m. The election of officers will take place.

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Baptist Choir Has Meeting

The annual meeting of the Emmanuel Baptist Church Choir was held recently, over which the president, H. T. Zala, presided. The annual report of the secretary, C. M. Cross, was enthusiastically received, and the activities outlined included, besides the regular Sunday work, the presentation of two cantatas; three musicales, one of which was given at the City Temple; a twilight recital at the First Baptist Church, and an entertainment in aid of the Shelbourne-Street Mission.

The treasurer's report showed that the choir had enjoyed a successful financial year, which included the final payment on the choir gowns.

Votes of thanks and appreciation were extended to the conductor, W. H. Muncy, and to Harold Parfitt, who ably assisted in that capacity for several months. W. J. Miles spoke in appreciation of the work of the choir president and secretary, who were both re-elected by acclamation.

W. H. Muncy conducted the election of officers, which resulted in the following: President, H. T. Zala; vice-president, Mrs. G. Anstey; secretary-treasurer, C. M. Cross; gowns committee, Mrs. W. J. Wilson, Mrs. G. Anstey, Mrs. D. Stewart and Mrs. H. P. Parfitt; librarian, C. M. Cross; auditor, Miss Vera Parfitt.

Preceding the annual meeting, supper was served by the ladies' committee, consisting of Mrs. W. J. Miles, Mrs. W. J. Wilson and Mrs. G. Anstey.

Juvenile Arts Enjoy Recital

The January meeting of the Juvenile Branch of the Victoria Musical Art Society was held yesterday in the Victoria Truth Centre. The president, Ronald MacDonald, was in the chair.

The roll was called by the vice-president and the minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Gwen Woolcock. The treasurer's report was read by Evahind Hunter. A draw was held to determine who would be given the privilege of going to the community concert on Monday night, and was won by Truda Beth McGill.

The meeting was then turned over to Vera Wood, the programme convener, who announced the following programme: Piano solo, Vera Wood, "Theme and Variations" (Beethoven); vocal solos, Marjorie Attwell accompanied by Frieda Nattrass, "The Ash Grove" and "Love's Old Sweet Song"; violin solo, Edith McGill, "Swing High, Swing Low"; vocal solo, Nancy Wilson, "Marjorie, Make the Tea"; vocal solo, Elaine Hart, "Ave Maria" (Gounod) and "A Heart That's Free." Mrs. G. A. McCurdy played the accompaniments.

After the programme, refreshments were served under the convenership of Freida Nattrass.

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CHAPTER XLVII

Kay was carried to a lounge and worked over until she regained consciousness. Mrs. Taylor was all concern over this beautiful girl, soon to become her daughter. She made the proper excuses for the benefit of the hovering shopwomen. So much entertaining, so much rushing about—the poor dear is exhausted—her nerves are on edge." She salved over the hurt feelings of the modiste, who thought Kay's wedding gown the most chic creation she had yet turned out.

Kay allowed them to assist her into the Taylor limousine, but refused to be taken to the Taylor home. She was soon in Jinnie's hands, Jinnie, who understood her best of all and had no relish for her idol marrying a playboy. She undressed Kay, put her to bed, and gave her a sedative.

When Kay awoke it was late afternoon. She lay against the pillows, wondering what had caused her to make such a display of feeling in the shop. The modiste was really a nice person; she regretted having offended her. What must she think? And Webb's mother? If she couldn't control herself when trying on her wedding gown, what would she be apt to do at the wedding?

Oh—merciful heaven!—was there no way out? She buried her face in the pillow and burst into sobs.

Soon, her emotion spent, she abruptly sat upright.

"This can't go on!" she cried aloud. "It can't! I'll see Chuck—make him tell me what happened that night—that hideous night in Henn's apartment!"

She scrambled out of bed and flung open a closet door. From a long row of dresses hanging there, she snatched the first one her hand chanced to touch. Hurriedly, she pulled the rough tweed skirt over her head, next a creamy blouse. The tight-fitting tweed coat went on in a hurry, and also a small black felt hat. She called Higgins on the house phone and ordered the limousine brought around. She snatched up her black gloves and handbag, and ran downstairs.

Soon she was climbing into the big car and saying to Higgins, "To the Bringo airplane factory—as fast as you can make it."

Higgins touched his cap, closed the door behind her and took his place at the wheel. The luxuriously appointed car swung out of the long, curving drive like a mammoth graceful swan.

It was nearing the close of a busy business day and the heavy downtown traffic, through which the car traveled to reach the airplane factory on the flats across town, impeded its progress. Kay sat on the edge of the back seat, impatiently drumming on the sill of the open window beside her.

She was composing a fine little speech especially for Chuck Nourse. She was trying to make it an astute speech, one that would bring out a man's highest sense of honor, make him realize how futile was concealment of crime, make him realize that it would be much wiser to face the issue of crime. She wanted him to know that she would stand by him, and no matter what came of his frankness, he could depend upon her loyalty—yes, her love. She would even tell him that.

The car moved quietly over the river bridge and slid slowly down the grade into the poorest part of Deweyton. The streets were cluttered now with boys' ball games, and dirty, ragged urchins who were the audience. The unkempt streets, the musty old buildings nauseated Kay. She drew back in the seat, closed her eyes against these drab surroundings where people lived in abject poverty. She wondered vaguely why nothing was done about it.

Sunlight pounded down on the graceful slopes and wooded hills surrounding the Bringo landing field. A few mechanics and pilots were working in the open on shiny new airplanes. They gave Kay swift, glances of curiosity, then continued with their work. "Another rich dame buying a plane," said one.

Kay stood hesitantly beneath the sign, "Bringo Airplane Factory," hanging over the door of the big square, brick building. Her hand touched the door, resolutely pushed it open. She walked quickly through a long hall, paused before the door marked "Manager."

Timidly she knocked, her heart pounding in her throat. This was her chance, her one big chance. She must carry through. Protect Chuck, escape from marrying Webb—both must be settled here this afternoon.

A familiar voice called sharply, "Come in!"

She flung back the door and stood trembling on the threshold, waiting for Chuck to glance up.

He sat at a big desk, thoroughly absorbed in a chart before him. His blond hair was as tousled as ever, but he looked like an executive now. He was wearing an expression that was new to her, so stern it frightened her.

"Good afternoon," she offered timidly.

He jumped as if he had been shot. "Kay!" His voice was filled with unadmitted longing.

She saw how drawn his face was as he strode toward her with outstretched hand. He looked as if he had been suffering acutely over something.

She withdrew her hand from his with quick determination. She must get hold of herself.

(To Be Continued)

According to Culbertson

"Dear Mr. Culbertson.—Bridge, like golf, is a humbling game. Just about the time you think you are getting reasonably good, a catastrophe overtakes you. Here's a hand that came up the other day. As the cards lay, there were various avenues of successful play for a small slam, but a foursome, which has set you up as the arbiter, would like to know the percentagewise course, or wherein lies the greater safety, in addition to the proper bidding.

South, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ A J 10 2
♥ J.
♦ Q 10 9 4
♣ Q 10 6 5

WEST	EAST
♠ 9 8 7 6	♠ Q 5 3
♥ 10 9 3	♥ K 8 6 5 4 2
♦ 5 3 2	♦ 7
♣ K J 9	♣ 8 4 3

SOUTH
♠ K 4
♥ A Q 7
♦ A K J 8 6
♣ A 7 2

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	3 NT	Pass
6 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

"West led the five of diamonds.

"One player claims that, after the first trick, the ace and king of spades should be led, followed by the spade jack, on which South should play a small club, which would bring the small slam home, provided East did not hold four spades to the queen and return the fourth spade. In this way no finesses are taken.

"Another claims that, after one round of trumps, a small club should be led to the queen, for even if East holds the king and returns a club, the declarer can play for a spade finesse after going with the club ace.

"Another claims that the spades and hearts should be virtually ruffed out after the first trick with the hope that the spade queen would fall on the third lead of that suit, thus permitting a club discard on the spade ten.

"And the actual declarer finally admits that, after three rounds of trumps, he led the king of spades and then took the spade finesse, which failed. When his ace of clubs was forced on the next lead he had to surrender a heart trick, even though the heart finesse worked, and he learned the sad lesson that he should have considered the hand more studiously before drawing trumps. Incidentally, had he tried the heart finesse before the spade finesse, he still could have made it this way.

"Yours in humility,
"J. G., New York City."

Now for the play. There is something to be said for all suggested lines of play, but analysis reveals that the best plan is to lead a low club toward dummy at the second trick. If the club king goes up (as it actually would in this case) declarer's troubles are virtually over. If the club king lay in East's hand, there still would be several lines of play for the contract, including a possible squeeze. Also, if on a low club lead toward dummy, West ducks it can be assumed with a fair amount of safety that West does not hold the club king and the club ten can be put in as an attempt to force the king. A heart finesse, of course, is not to be considered, inasmuch as its success would not advance declarer much further toward his goal.

The bidding was horrible, but, strangely enough, the final contract was an excellent one. South, despite his five-plus honor tricks, did not have an opening two bid, inasmuch as he had six and one-half losing tricks. In counting a trump suit for a two bid, winners should be counted as though it were a side suit. Thus, in diamonds, South had two and one-half winners in the A K J and one winner in the fifth card. North's two spade response was all right. South's spade raise was atrocious, with only the K-4 as support. North's three no trump was ghastly. He should have given a strong diamond raise. This, however, was remarkably compensated for by South's assumption that North had very good diamonds, as witnessed by the six diamond bid.



Anglican Young People

ST. MARK'S

The regular meeting of St. Mark's Branch will be held in the hall on Wednesday under the supervision of Group Three, with Miss N. Cullen as leader. Mr. A. Bailey, principal of Mount Douglas High School, will give an address. Members are reminded today is the Corporate Communion service. On Friday, February 3, a bridge and five hundred card party will be held in the hall. dance will be held on Friday, February 17, at the hall.

ST. MARY'S

St. Mary's Association held its regular business meeting recently with Norman Williams, president, in the chair. Important business was discussed. Fred Hotum, vice-president, welcomed Stanley Thorne, a former member, who is vacationing in Victoria. The meeting closed with prayer led by Archdeacon Nunns. Next week, moving pictures of a trip around the world will be shown by Mr. Knight.

LANGFORD—COLWOOD

A successful carnival dance was held by the members of the Langford-Colwood Branch on Friday night, in the Colwood Hall. The hall had been gaily decorated with yellow and orange variegated streamers and good-luck horseshoes, by the energetic members under the leadership of the dance committee, Kathleen Goodall, Olenys Smedley, Margaret Coombes, Ethel Brown, David McLean and Kenneth Hincks. Snowballs, noise-makers and serpentine added to the hilarity of the evening. A five-piece orchestra provided the music, and the results proved to be most gratifying to the members.

SAANICH WELFARE APPEAL

The Saanich Welfare Society is making an urgent appeal for gifts of a child's high chair, a spring for a single bed, kitchen chairs, dishes and cutlery for several needy families. The welfare society has had many inquiries for such gifts and has been postponing the public appeal until after Christmas. Donors are asked to telephone E 9583 or E 3043.

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Plays and Players

EXCITING DRAMA COMING TO PLAZA

"Mademoiselle Docteur" Is Based Upon the Real Life Adventures Of Woman Spy

"Mademoiselle Docteur," an exciting drama which is based on the real-life adventures of a woman spy, will open tomorrow at the Plaza Theatre.

Max Schach, who made the excellent "Love From a Stranger," has provided the film with an exceptionally interesting and talented cast. In the title role is Dita Parlo, a glamorous star new to the British screen. Opposite her are Erich von Stroheim, renowned a few years ago as "the man you love to hate," and John Loder, the popular British actor.

The three stars are given every opportunity, in a colorful, thrilling story which shows how Anne Marie Lesser becomes an espionage agent to avenge the death of her fiance. Her mission is to find the man who killed him.

PAIR STARRED IN THRILLING FILM

Barbara Stanwyck and Henry Fonda Have Leads in "The Mad Miss Manton" at Atlas

A romance, a murder mystery, and a comedy of errors comprise the triple themes of "The Mad Miss Manton," starring Barbara Stanwyck and Henry Fonda, which will open tomorrow at the Atlas Theatre.

Fonda portrays a young newspaper editor, and Miss Stanwyck a wilful society girl in the offering, which revolves around her efforts to solve a double killing with which she has become involved. The romance grows from a stinging editorial which Fonda writes concerning the thoughtless but sensational escapades of Miss Stanwyck and her thrilling seeking socialite friends.

Plenty of exciting moments are furnished when the killer endeavors to silence Miss Stanwyck before she can disclose his identity to the police.

"HELL DIVERS" TO BE SHOWN AT COLUMBIA

"Hell Divers," mighty romance of aviation in the navy, with Wallace Beery and Clark Gable co-starred and a supporting cast which includes such prominent players as Conrad Nagel, Dorothy Jordan, Marjorie Rambeau and Marie Prevost, will open tomorrow at the Columbia Theatre.

The drama, filmed with the cooperation of the United States navy at the Panama manoeuvres, aboard the airplane carrier Saratoga, and at North Island, has in it practically every air thrill the service achieves in its annual training.

In Role of Young Doctor



ROBERT DONAT AND ROSALIND RUSSELL

Who have the leading roles in "The Citadel," dramatically powerful story of a young doctor who barters his ideals for worldly riches and which is the current feature at the Capitol Theatre.

Robert Donat Has Lead In Story "The Citadel"

"The Citadel," A. J. Cronn's dramatically powerful story of a young doctor who barters his ideals for worldly riches, opened yesterday at the Capitol Theatre as M-G-M's second British-made photoplay and proved itself one of the most distinguished motion pictures of the new movie season.

A dramatic love story is unfolded in the account of the young surgeon who struggles among the miners and marries a humble schoolmistress. There is agonizing suspense when he descends into a mine that has collapsed to amputate the arm of a man trapped beneath a fallen timber. There is drama when he deliberately dynamites a sewer that has been spreading disease but which authorities refuse to remove.

Cronin's moving story has become even more dramatic on the screen, without an alteration, but because of the added power of visible action. Donat is outstanding as the disillusioned young doctor and Rosalind Russell has the best role of her career as his sympathetic wife. Ralph Richardson and Rex Harrison, two of Britain's most capable actors, appear as fellow doctors with Donat and their performances are excellent.

"BOYS TOWN" BILLED FOR OAK BAY MONDAY

"Boys Town," starring Spencer Tracy and Mickey Rooney, will open tomorrow at the Oak Bay Theatre.

The drama, based upon the Boys Town, established twenty-five years ago by Father Edward J. Flanagan just twelve miles outside of Omaha, has everything that makes for a great screen production.

There is Spencer Tracy who tops his previous performances, impossible as this may seem, with a characterization destined to live forever in the minds of all who see him. As the idealistic priest who stakes his all on the theory that "there is no such thing as a bad boy," he turns in a performance which once again makes him a candidate for the Academy Award.

"Thanks for Everything" On Screen at Dominion

Expounding the droll idea that there is such a thing as a Mister Average Man, and that he would be worth a fortune to any promoter who knew how to handle him, "Thanks for Everything," will close tomorrow at the Dominion Theatre.

With a great cast of comedy experts, the picture merrily proceeds to probe and explore this hapless common denominator of the American male to see what makes him tick, and the process gets more hilarious as each layer is exposed. But when the probers reach Mister Average Man's heart and meddle with his Miss America—he collects himself and establishes a new high average in the behavior of an American in love.

Wide-eyed Jack Haley was a happy choice for the role of Mister Average Man and he plays it for all it is worth. As Haley's tormentors, saturnine Adolphe Menjou and Jack Oakie were never better, while lovely blonde Arleen Wheelan represents the emotion in the life of Mister Average Man.

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Oak Bay—"Boys' Town," starring Spencer Tracy.

Plaza—Erich von Stroheim in "Mademoiselle Docteur."

HUGE AUDIENCE WILL ENJOY MUSICAL TREAT

Concrete demonstration of the practicability of an auditorium for Victoria will be given next Wednesday night, when Victoria music-lovers assemble in the Armoury to hear the Seattle Symphony Orchestra and Rose Bampton, guest star. Advance ticket sale has been so heavy that already there is assurance that the audience will be the largest to hear visiting celebrities in this city in over a decade.

How potent an argument this huge audience will be for use in the campaign for a civic arena and auditorium cannot be overestimated, for it will serve as an answer to those who have suggested that the city is not sufficiently music-minded to assemble a large audience for outstanding events of this nature. The success of this first project in the Armoury will result in Victoria once more being included on the route of all the important artists, for the number of seats made available in this ideal building permit the popular prices so essential to finance the appearance of the great "names" of the artistic world.

London Musician Touring Canada To Visit Victoria

Engaged on a tour of Canada to study the musical situation in this Dominion, Hube J. Foss, founder and editor of the musical department of the Oxford University Press, London, is expected to arrive in Victoria tomorrow, and will spend a few days here.

Mr. Foss, who has just completed an encyclopedia of music, is a choral and opera conductor, the author of a number of compositions, and a close friend of John Barberolli, conductor of the New York Symphony Orchestra. The two of them jointly conducted a string orchestra in London for some years, before Mr. Barberolli went to New York.

AS MAN TO MAN

AMES, Iowa, Jan. 14 (AP)—Officer Ray Truesdell went out to sell tickets to the policemen's and firemen's ball at $1.10 each. Returning to his automobile he found another officer had left him a ticket—a summons for overtime parking. Truesdell pleaded guilty in municipal court and paid a $1 fine.

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AROUND the DIAL

TODAY

10:00 a.m. — Sheridan's "The School for Scandal," first produced in Wren's Drury Lane 162 years ago, will be the N.B.C. Great Play presentation. KJR.

10:30 a.m.—King Christian X of Denmark will be the first monarch to send the greetings of his country to the New York World's Fair, when he is heard on the Salute of Nations broadcast. KOMO, CBR.

12:00 noon—Frank Simon's Armco Band, featuring youthful prodigies in the field of instrumental music as guest performers, will begin a series of weekly concerts. KJR.

5:00 p.m.—Rosalind Russell will co-star in a dramatic sketch and a Charlie McCarthy melodrama during her appearance as guest star on this hour. KOMO, KFI, KPO.

5:30 p.m.—"Swing Soiree" will be presented with Gordon Jenkins' orchestra playing hit tunes, the King Cole trio, and Three Hits and a Miss, vocal quartette. KJR, KGO.

6:00 p.m.—Jussi Bjoerling, young Swedish tenor, will make his second appearance on the Sunday Evening Hour, with the orchestra and chorus under the direction of Fritz Reiner. KIRO, KVI, KSL.

7:00 p.m.—"The Circle" broadcast with Ronald Colman acting as president of the club; Carole Lombard, secretary; and Cary Grant, Lawrence Tibbett, and the orchestra of Robert Emmett Dolan will be heard. KOMO, KFI, KPO.

9:00 p.m.—"Sunday Smiles" will return to the air in a new series of broadcasts. CFCT.

TOMORROW

9:30 a.m.—The British Columbia Radio School starts an eight-week series of educational programmes today. This radio course includes five subjects, presented to both junior and senior grades. CBR.

3:15 p.m.—"I Love a Mystery," a new adventure-mystery serial drama by Carlton E. Morse, will make its debut at this time. KOMO, KPO, KFI.

6:30 p.m.—Two fifty-voice choirs from the Westminster Choir College will be featured during the third programme in the series presenting a survey of American choral music. The choirs will be assisted by a string ensemble conducted by Feri Roth, first violinist of the Roth String Quartette. KJR, KGO.

7:00 p.m.—The Budapest of two decades ago will be the setting for the Carnation Contented Programme. Marc Weber's violin will be heard in Kondor's "The Old Gypsy," and he will direct the orchestra in "I Lost My Heart in Budapest." KOMO, KPO, KFI.

7:30 p.m.—Speed and more speed will be the theme of the broadcast of Al Pearce at this time. The Pomona College Glee Club will appear as the guest organization, singing a special arrangement of "Night and Day." Arlene Harris, fast talker de luxe, Elmer Blurt, speedy door-to-door salesman and Tizzie Lish will show what real fast workers are like. KOMO, KPO, KFI.

N.B.C.-KPO RED NETWORK
(KHQ-KGW-KFI-KPO-KOMO)

8:00 a.m.—Press News
8:15 a.m.—Chimney House
8:30 a.m.—To be advised
9:00 a.m.—Seattle Pacific College (KOMO)
9:30 a.m.—University of Chicago Round Table
10:00 a.m.—Irene Wicker's Plays
10:30 a.m.—Salute of Nations
11:00 a.m.—Dinner at Aunt Fannie's
11:30 a.m.—Barry McKinley
12:00 noon—Biographies (KOMO).
12:30 p.m.—Vivian Della Chiesa
12:45 p.m.—Bob Becker
1:00 p.m.—Rangers Serenade
1:30 p.m.—The World Is Yours
2:00 p.m.—Uncle Ezra's Sunday Afternoon
2:30 p.m.—Gallion Brothers.
2:45 p.m.—Organ
3:00 p.m.—Old Songs of the Church
4:00 p.m.—Professor Puzzlewit
4:30 p.m.—Bandwagon
5:00 p.m.—Bergen and McCarthy; Nelson Eddy, baritone
6:00 p.m.—Manhattan Merry-Go-Round
6:30 p.m.—Album of Familiar Music
7:00 p.m.—The Circle
8:00 p.m.—Walter Winchell
8:15 p.m.—Irene Rich
8:30 p.m.—Jack Benny
9:00 p.m.—Seth Parker
9:30 p.m.—One Man's Family
10:00 p.m.—News Flashes.
10:15 p.m.—Paul Carson, organ

N.B.C.-KGO BLUE NETWORK
(KGO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KGA)

8:00 a.m.—Kenyon's Church of the Air (KJR).
8:30 a.m.—Compass Mission (KJR)
9:00 a.m.—Radio City Music Hall
10:00 a.m.—Great Plays
11:00 a.m.—Music Key
12:00 noon—Armco Band
1:30 p.m.—Festival of Music.
1:00 p.m.—National Vespers
1:30 p.m.—Rev. Henry H. Ness (KJR)
2:00 p.m.—Concert Hour
2:30 p.m.—Rev. Bard (KJR).
3:00 p.m.—Catholic Hour
3:30 p.m.—New Friends in Music.
4:00 p.m.—Lutheran Gospel Hour (KJR)
4:30 p.m.—John Searle (KJR)
4:45 p.m.—Paul Carson, organist
5:00 p.m.—Rev. J. M. Anundsen (KOMO)
5:30 p.m.—Swing Soiree
6:00 p.m.—Hollywood Playhouse.
6:30 p.m.—Readers' Guide
6:45 p.m.—National Conference of Jews and Christians.
7:00 p.m.—Maurice Spitalny's Orchestra
7:30 p.m.—Cheerio.
8:00 p.m.—So Goes the World (KJR)
8:30 a.m.—Emil Baffa's Orchestra
9:00 p.m.—News Reporter
9:15 p.m.—Trinity Choir (KJR).
9:30 p.m.—Herbie Kay's Orchestra
10:00 p.m.—Paul Martin's Orchestra
10:30 p.m.—Al Kevelin's Orchestra.

COLUMBIA NETWORK
(KVI-KIRO-KFPY-KOIN-KNX-KSL)

8:00 a.m.—West Coast Church of the Air
8:30 a.m.—Swedish Tabernacle (KIRO)
9:00 a.m.—Major Bowes' Family
9:30 a.m.—Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir
10:00 a.m.—Church of the Air
10:30 a.m.—Portraits in Pastel.
10:45 a.m.—Newscast (KIRO)
11:00 a.m.—Congregational Church. Rev. L. W. Fifield (KIRO)
12:15 p.m.—Philharmonic Symphony Society.
2:00 p.m.—Newscast (KIRO)
2:15 p.m.—Music in a Sentimental Mood
2:30 p.m.—Human Interest.
3:00 p.m.—Silver Theatre
3:30 p.m.—Gateway to Hollywood
4:00 p.m.—The People's Platform
4:30 p.m.—To be announced
5:00 p.m.—This Is New York
6:00 p.m.—Sunday Evening Hour.
7:00 p.m.—Rob-ert Benchley
7:30 p.m.—I Want a Divorce
7:45 p.m.—To be announced
8:00 p.m.—Red Norvo's Orchestra
8:30 p.m.—Jimmy Davis Orchestra
8:45 p.m.—News (KIRO)
9:00 p.m.—Ben Bernie
10:00 p.m.—Gems of Melody
10:15 p.m.—A Song at Evening.
10:45 p.m.—Newscast (KIRO)
11:00 p.m.—Starlight Serenade
11:15 p.m.—Lehr's Waltz (KIRO)
11:45 p.m.—Prelude to Midnight
12:00 m.n.—Concert Hour.

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change.)

Sunday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1450 Kcs.)

11:00 a.m.—Christ Church Cathedral
12:30 p.m.—Feature Time
12:45 p.m.—Afternoon Concert
1:00 p.m.—Sunday Hour
5:15 p.m.—Sunday Afternoon Concert
5:30 p.m.—Christian Science
5:45 p.m.—Concert Hour
6:15 p.m.—Sacred Song
6:30 p.m.—Gospel Sunshine Hour
7:00 p.m.—Concert Interlude
7:15 p.m.—Cathedral Bells
7:30 p.m.—Christ Church Cathedral
8:45 p.m.—News Summary.
9:00 p.m.—Sunday Smiles.
9:30 p.m.—Silent

CJOR Vancouver (600 Kcs.)

9:00 a.m.—B.C. Church of the Air
9:30 a.m.—Request Hour
10:30 a.m.—Sunday Song Service
11:00 a.m.—Metropolitan Tabernacle
12:30 p.m.—Concert Miniature.
12:45 p.m.—Ballad Music
1:00 p.m.—Sunday Hour
1:30 p.m.—Shut-In Programme
1:45 p.m.—Musical Interlude
2:00 p.m.—Church in the Wildwood
2:30 p.m.—Ukranian Talk
3:00 p.m.—Famous Voices
3:15 p.m.—Four-Square Gospel Lighthouse
4:15 p.m.—Concert Time
4:30 p.m.—Svenska Pressen
5:00 p.m.—Scandinavian Baptist Mission
5:15 p.m.—Polish-Israel Association
6:00 p.m.—Concert Hall
6:30 p.m.—Waltz Time
7:00 p.m.—News
7:15 p.m.—Hymns Divine
7:30 p.m.—Christ Church Cathedral
9:00 p.m.—News
9:15 p.m.—Modelin Nocturne

C.B.C. NETWORK

9:00 a.m.—Sir Charles Courbin
9:30 a.m.—Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir
10:00 a.m.—Musically Speaking
10:30 a.m.—Salute of Nations
11:00 a.m.—And It Came to Pass.
11:30 a.m.—The Catholic Hour
12:00 noon—New York Philharmonic Orch
2:30 p.m.—Chorus and Birinas.
3:30 p.m.—The World Today
4:00 p.m.—Drums, drama
4:30 p.m.—Vancouver Symphony.
5:00 p.m.—C.B.C. Symphonic Hour
6:00 p.m.—Reginald Stewart.
6:30 p.m.—The Lyric Trio and Alan McIlroy
7:00 p.m.—National Forum
7:30 p.m.—By the Sea.
8:00 p.m.—The News
8:15 p.m.—The Art Singer.
8:30 p.m.—Seashore to Airplane
9:00 p.m.—Concert Band Calvin Winter
9:30 p.m.—15 Recital
9:45 p.m.—The News
10:00 p.m.—The Romance of Sacred Song

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8:15 a.m.—Christian Science Programme.
8:30 a.m.—Raoul Nadeau, baritone
8:45 a.m.—Canary Chorus
9:00 a.m.—Rhumba Rhythms
9:30 p.m.—The Lamplighter
10:00 a.m.—Sumner Prindle, pianist
10:15 a.m.—"I'm Mighty I Am"
10:30 a.m.—Salute of the Nations.
11:00 a.m.—Little Review
11:15 a.m.—Coach Paul Schissler
12:00 noon—On a Sunday Afternoon
12:30 p.m.—News.
12:45 p.m.—Tony Cabooah
1:00 p.m.—Benay Venuta's Variety
1:30 p.m.—Lutheran Hour
2:00 p.m.—Russian Cathedral Choir
2:30 p.m.—Rabbi Magnin.
3:00 p.m.—Help Thy Neighbor.
3:30 p.m.—Show of the Week
4:00 p.m.—Bach Cantata Series
4:30 p.m.—George Hamilton's Orchestra
5:00 p.m.—American Forum of the Air
6:00 p.m.—Old-Fashioned Revival Hour
7:00 p.m.—Good-Will Hour
8:00 p.m.—Bernhard Levitow's Orchestra
8:15 p.m.—World Affairs
8:30 p.m.—Music by Faith
9:00 p.m.—Newscast
9:15 p.m.—Frank and Archie
9:30 p.m.—Words and Music
10:00 p.m.—Drama.
10:15 p.m.—Phil Harris' Orchestra
10:30 p.m.—Jimmy Grier's Orchestra
11:00 p.m.—Weather Report
11:01 p.m.—Ben Wilde's Orchestra
11:30 p.m.—The Bluenes.
11:45 p.m.—Midnight Moods

Monday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1,150 Kcs.)

9:00 a.m.—Morning Salute
9:15 a.m.—Breakfast Salute
9:30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer

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Quarter Cab Company Celebrates Tenth Anniversary of Business by Purchase of Four New Packard Sedans—Company Has Recorded Steady Growth Since Inception

SIMULTANEOUSLY with the attainment of ten years in business, the Quarter Cab Company, well-known Victoria concern, has just purchased four new Packard cars to augument their up-to-date fleet. This purchase was made through Thomas Plimley, Limited, local distributors, and the addition brings the Quarter Cab fleet to the largest in number of any operated in Victoria.

Commencing in a small way in 1929, the Quarter Cab Company has made steady and rapid progress since inauguration. At its inception it boasted only three cars, but from the start the high standard of service met with instant popularity and the expansion was built on a growing clientele.

LOCAL CONTROL

Strictly a local concern, the Quarter Cab is independently owned and financed by Victoria capital. G. I. Edgelow, president, was connected with the firm at the start, being joined later by his partner, P. W. Paskin, who is secretary-treasurer.

A salient reason for the success achieved by the firm has been strict adherence to the best of service to the Victoria public, which has won them lasting friends. Every Quarter Cab driver is carefully selected for reliability in every respect, care in driving and courtesy when meeting the public. The cars themselves, representing the best in equipment at all times, are subjected to constant supervision. Safety is an essential factor and mechanical inspection is frequent and thorough. The cars are vacuum cleaned daily, keeping the interiors spotless, in this respect matching the sleek glossy appearance of the exterior. Every one is heated for Winter driving comfort.

TWENTY-FOUR-HOUR SERVICE

With twenty-four-hour service offered the public, the Quarter Cab maintains sub offices all over the city, Oak Bay and Esquimalt, with drivers and cabs in attendance. In this way the patron's call, which goes into the central office at 708 Johnson Street, is instantly relayed to a point in the district where the fare is waiting, thus eliminating delay.

In speaking of the addition of four Packard cars to their fleet, Mr. Edgelow made the following statement: "Our choice of Packard was dictated by our policy of offering the Victoria public the highest standards in transportation at all times. We feel that our growth has been due in no small measure to the friendly co-operation we have received at all times and we can do no less to show our appreciation. We have selected Packard as filling our need for cars of beauty, reliability and absolute safety."

Mr. Edgelow also stressed the fact that the addition of these quality cars did not mean an increase in rates. "We pioneered in the low rate field here," he said, "and the purchase of these cars merely means added service to the public."

THOUGHTLESS

A man driving along a country road saw the roof of a farm-house ablaze. He shouted wildly to the woman standing calmly in the doorway:

"Hey, your house is on fire!"

"What?"

"Your house is on fire!" a little louder.

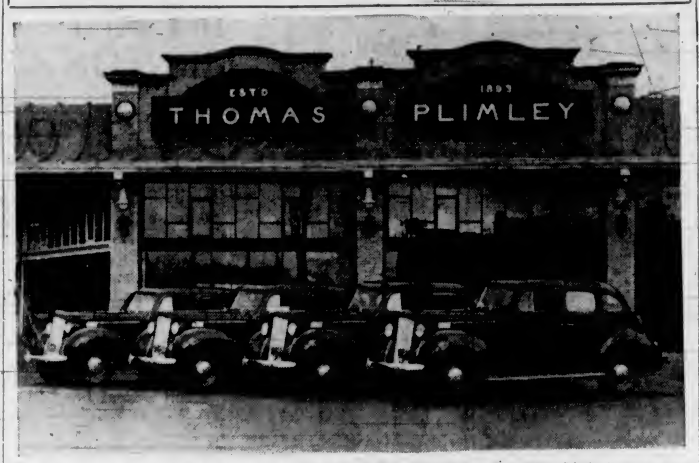
"What? I'm a little deaf."

"Your house is on fire!" at the top of his lungs.

"Is that all?"

"Well, it's all I can think of right now."

New Packards Purchased by Company



Above are shown the four new Packard cars, bought by The Quarter Cab Company, Limited, to augment their up-to-date fleet. The selection of these quality cars is in keeping with the company's strict policy of the best in transportation for their patrons.

QUALITY AND RELIABILITY ARE OFFERED

Complete Line of Packard Shown by Thos. Plimley, Ltd., Stresses Economy

The 1939 Packards, from which the Quarter Cab Company officials made their choice of four new cars to add to their fleet, are now on display in the showrooms of Thomas Plimley, Ltd., in a complete range of models. In speaking of the transaction just completed, Louis Michelin, sales manager of the pioneer automobile firm, voiced his approbation of the taxi company's selection.

"In forty-six years of business," said Mr. Michelin, "we have never been in a position to present such a high standard of quality, together with low operating cost, as is combined in the 1939 Packard. All the advanced features of mechanical improvement are built into a car which, since 1904, has been known as a standard in quality performance, safety and design."

LINES RETAINED

This year the famous style lines of Packard are basically retained, adhering to a design which has marked Packard since its earliest days. But there are refinements of detail which place the new car among the leaders in beauty and grace. No less than in exterior finish the quality is marked in the rich beauty of the interior, upholstery, fittings and dash being exceptionally notable. One of the major innovations is the "Handy-shift" gear lever, situated on the steering column, just within easy finger-tip reach. This has the effect of giving a clear floor, with no impediment to entering or leaving the car, at the same time being easy to manipulate and adding to the instant control of the car.

STRIPPED CHASSIS

An interesting display is made of the stripped Packard chassis, identical to that used in the New York Show. This enables the visitor to see at a glance the rugged construction which gives Packard its safety and durability. The famous "Safe-T-Flex" suspension is clearly shown an exclusive Packard development that cushions road shock with flexible coil springs, guarded by massive steel torque arms that are stronger than any other type. Body sway is eliminated by the rear springing, with a new transverse stabilizer bringing new comfort and safety. Another new Packard feature is the fifth shock absorber which banishes all crosswise road shock and vibration. The double truss steel frame follows the principle of a bridge girder, with the added rigidity supplied by a cross X member reinforcement.

Y.M.C.A. DIRECTORS

The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Y.M.C.A. will be held at noon tomorrow. The annual dinner meeting will take place on February 1 at 6 p.m. in the gymnasium.

President and Manager Of Taxi Company



G. I. EDGELOW

WHO has been associated with the Quarter Cab Company, Ltd., since the inception of the firm and who is now president and manager.
—Photo by Robert Fort.

Secretary-Treasurer Of Quarter Cab



P. W. PASKIN

ASSOCIATED with Mr. Edgelow in the control of the Quarter Cab Company, Ltd., which well-known Victoria concern now celebrates its tenth anniversary.—Photo by Campbell.

That Body of Yours
by JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

SICK OR WELL—EXERCISE IS HELPFUL

One of the expressions we heard as youngsters when an individual was constantly complaining about his aches, pains, stiffness or other conditions was, "If he'd stir his stumps, he'd have no stiffness, aches or pains." The thought was that it was lack of desire to work or play (plain laziness) that was responsible for his symptoms if any symptoms were present.

Today as we see men and women well past their three score years and ten walking about—stirring their stumps it is not hard to understand why they keep free of symptoms and live so long. It is exercise, this walking about, that not only keeps their legs and feet supple, but keeps their heart strong and their blood vessels elastic.

Most of us do not realize that just to walk about at an ordinary gait calls upon the heart to pump about five times as much blood as when we are at complete rest. And it is this call for more blood from the large muscles in the thighs and legs when we walk that not only keeps the thigh and leg muscles in good shape, but makes the lungs work also to keep pure the extra blood needed.

Some idea of how any simple exercise, any stirring of our stumps, helps the circulation of the whole body can be seen in a report by Drs. W. J. Shaw and C. E. B. Rickards, Manchester, in Journal of Obsetrics and Gynaecology. Following operation it sometimes happens that a little plug or clot—embolus—will get detached and plug of completely fill a small blood vessel, thus shutting off the blood supply to a part with serious consequences if in brain or heart. This may be caused by poor circulation and other conditions. Drs. Shaw and Rickards found that in one hospital where the same surgeon, same operations, same treatments, were given, without simple exercise after operation, the number of cases of embolus or plugging of the blood vessels was five times as in the other hospital where the exercises were given. The exercises given were simply lifting arms high, over their heads a few times and then lying on their backs drawing legs up to the body and straightening them again.

Sick or well, except perhaps in acute heart disease, a little exercise can be of great benefit to us.

PISTOL FOUND ON SMALL BOY

Chinese, Aged Thirteen Years, Is Charged With Attempted Entry

A Chinese boy aged thirteen years was charged before Magistrate Henry C. Hall in the juvenile court yesterday afternoon with attempting to break and enter the bicycle shop of B. J. Smith at 1702 Douglas Street while armed with a revolver. The lad was remanded until Tuesday morning.

According to a report made by Sergeant Sydney H. Wilkinson, he was patrolling an alley at the rear of Mr. Smith's shop when he heard the sound of glass being broken at 5:15 o'clock yesterday morning.

Investigation showed that a pane measuring ten by twelve inches had been smashed. Underneath the window Sergeant Wilkinson found the Chinese boy hiding in a small wooden box. A new screwdriver lay at his feet.

BOY CARRIES PISTOL

When taken to the police station, the boy was searched. Police found a fully-loaded 38 calibre Iver-Johnson revolver in a shoulder holster, under the boy's sweater on the left side. He also carried a two-cell flashlight, a new watch and a pocket knife.

Sergeant Wilkinson examined the number on the revolver. He found it was one that had been stolen from the Royal Bank, 1517 Douglas Street, last November 18. At the time the bank was forcibly entered, the sum of sixteen cents was also taken from three drawers forced open in tellers' cages.

MONEY NO OBJECT

The knut entered the cigar store and picked out a five-cent cigar. He then reached into his wallet and tendered the clerk a thousand-dollar bill.

The clerk caught his breath.

"What's this?" he asked nervously. "You purchase a five-cent cigar and expect me to change a thousand-dollar bill."

The knut reached back into the cigar box.

"Very well," he shrugged. "Just to stop your squawking, I'll buy two!"

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On her way to Sydney by way of Honolulu, Suva and Auckland, the Canadian-Australasian Ms. Aorangi Captain T. V. Hill, commander, will be here for a short time on Wednesday afternoon next. Due to arrive at 4 o'clock, the liner will sail as soon as her local business is completed.

The Aorangi is taking out a large list of travelers in all classes, among them being nearly 100 refugees from Europe who are bound for Australia where they expect to make new homes.

Among the liner's passengers will be Blair Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Brown, Victoria, who is going to Melbourne, where he will be employed as a refrigeration and air-conditioning engineer.

GREGALIA TODAY

Coming in from United Kingdom ports via Panama, Central America California and Washington, the Donaldson Line freighter Gregalia, Captain A Bankler, was expected alongside Ruthet Piers at 2 o'clock this morning. The Gregalia has nearly 200 tons of general cargo, including citrus fruits and vegetables, to discharge here. Work will commence at 7 a.m. Completing here the ship will continue to Mainland ports.

SECOND VESSEL

Second sailing in the recently-formed combination passenger and freight service of Pacific Islands Transport Line from British Columbia to South Sea Island ports will be taken next month by the Ms Velox, according to Empire Shipping Company. Ms. Velox is scheduled to arrive in local waters on February 10 and will load general cargo for the northern group of islands, including Noumea, Rabaul, Lae, Salamaua, Port Moresby and Queensland. She is listed to sail direct from British Columbia on February 15. The Velox is 367 feet long, 3,831 gross tons, and will maintain a sea speed of twelve knots fully loaded. She has general cargo space for 7,056 tons and excellent accommodation for four passengers. The vessel is used as a hotel by the travelers on this unique 100-day cruise

APPLE CARGO

To fill a large part of her refrigerator space with British Columbia apples, the Fruit Express Line Ms Washington Express arrived at Vancouver Friday evening. She is taking twenty-five carloads of Okanagan apples for delivery at London, Havre, Rotterdam, Liverpool and Glasgow. She will sail tomorrow evening.

HERRING MARKET

"There is apparently no reason why salt herring from British Columbia cannot be merchandized in Malaya, Netherlands Indies and Siam," states K. F. Noble, assistant trade commissioner at Singapore writing to the Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa. "The product," he says, "is well favored, but owing to the fact that in previous years salt herring was imported through Japanese dealers, it is now regarded as of Japanese origin by the Chinese population."

To remove this prejudice, experimental shipments are being arranged to establish proof that salt herring from British Columbia is a bona fide Canadian product. Mr. Noble recommends that packing cases containing this product should carry large stenciled maple leaves and the inscription "Product of Canada," in bold letters in English and Chinese.

An order has been booked by Swan, Hunter & Wigham Richardson, Ltd., on the Tyne, for eleven merchantmen of from 900 to 1,800 tons each from the Turkish Ministry of National Economy. The amount involved is £1,800,000, and will be paid out of the £16,000,000 credit extended by Great Britain.

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The steamer Princess Norah, of the British Columbia Coast Service of Canadian Pacific Steamships, sailed from Vancouver for Alaska last Tuesday night with a precious shipment of anti-toxin from the Lederle Laboratories, Seattle, for the Territorial Department of Health, Juneau, which was battling an outbreak of diphtheria. Grounded planes prevented the shipment of the important package by air, and the Princess Norah, at Vancouver, was called on in a last-minute rush. The photograph shows Customs Officer H. S. Riley clearing the package to J. A. Merrix, assistant purser of the Princess Norah.

RAINBOW SEA CADETS

Orders by Lieut.-Commander P W. Tribe.

Parades for Week Ending January 21—Tuesday, January 17, corps will parade at Drill Hall for instruction as per syllabus; Friday, January 20, corps will parade at Drill Hall for instruction as per syllabus.

Leave—Lieut. C. M. Henry is granted indefinite leave while on duty in Vancouver, effective January 10.

Appointments — Sub-Lieut. W. Smith will assume the duties of first lieutenant during the absence of Lieut. C M Henry, effective January 13; Cecil Leslie Wright, R C N V R, is appointed honorary instructor, effective January 13.

Confirmations — Acting Leading Seamen W. Arland, N. Anderson and V. Rawson are confirmed in the rating of leading seamen.

Promotions—Leading Seamen W. Arland, N. Anderson and V. Rawson are promoted to rank of acting petty officer.

Transfers—Cadet W. Jennings is transferred from general duties to band duties, effective January 13; Acting Leading Seaman L. Howe is transferred from general duties to band duties, effective January 13.

Strength Decrease—The undermentioned is struck off strength at his own request, effective January 10: Cadet G. Kepper.

Duties for Week—Officer of the watch, W.O. H. Clarke; duty watch, White Division; duty bugler, Cadet D Filewood; quartermaster, Tuesday L. S. L. Howe; acting quartermaster, Friday, A.L.S. W. Acland.

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ESTEVAN—Light rain, southeast, moderate, 30.00, 45, light chop.
LENNARD ISLAND—Rain; southeast, fresh, 29.90, choppy.
PACHENA—Overcast; southeast, strong, 29.80, 43, choppy.
CARMANAH—Overcast; southeast, light, 30.01, light swell.

WIRELESS REPORT

LANGLEETARN—Bound Victoria from Port Alberni, seventy miles from Race Rock.
MOORBY—Bound San Pedro from Vancouver, 150 miles south of Estevan at 4 p.m.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

TO ARRIVE

GREGALIA—United Kingdom, January 16
LOCHKATRINE—United Kingdom, January 20.
PACIFIC RANGER—United Kingdom, January 24.

TO DEPART

AORANGI—Hawaii, Fiji, New Zealand and Australia, January 18.
HIE MARU (Vancouver)—January 21.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Japan, China and Philippines, January 21.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria for Vancouver daily at 1.55 p.m.; Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive at Victoria daily from Vancouver at 3.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 12 midnight. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria for Seattle daily at 4.30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 1.15 p.m. Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9.15, a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria from Seattle daily at 8.35 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES — Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 9.15 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8.35 a.m.

SALTSPRING ISLAND — Ms. Cy Peck leaves Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday for Fulford Harbor at 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; Ms. Cy Peck leaves Fulford Harbor daily except Wednesday for Swartz Bay at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10.30 a.m., Tuesdays, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 8.30 p.m. Mondays.

WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Maquinna leaves Victoria on the 1st, 11th and 21st of every month for Port Alice and way ports on the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

NANAIMO - VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday, for Vancouver at 7.45 a.m. and 2.30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo, from Vancouver, at 1.15 p.m. and 8.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo, for Vancouver, on Saturday only at 7.45 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 9.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo, from Vancouver, on Saturday only, at 1.15 p.m. and 8.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo, for Vancouver, on Sunday only, at 5.45 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo, from Vancouver, on Sunday only, at 1.15 p.m. and 11.15 p.m.

WHEN MAILS CLOSE

BRITISH MAILS

1.10 p.m., January 16, Duchess of Bedford, air mail closes 1.10 p.m., January 18; 1.10 p.m., January 17, Ausonia, air mail closes 1.10 p.m., January 19; 1.10 p.m., January 18, air mail closes 1.10 p.m., January 20; 1.10 p.m., January 19, Newfoundland, air mail closes 1.10 p.m., January 21; 1.10 p.m., January 23, Montclare, air mail closes 1.10 p.m., January 25.

ATLIN AND YUKON

4 p.m., January 27, February 3, via Seattle; 1.10 p.m., January 24, February 7, 17, via Vancouver.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

4 p.m., January 18, Aorangi, 11.15 p.m., January 28, Monterey via San Francisco.

CHINA AND JAPAN

4 p.m., January 21, Empress of Russia, 11.15 p.m., January 23, Hie Maru, 11.15 p.m., January 23, Tyndareus.

HONOLULU MAILS

11.15 p.m., January 18, 21, 24, 28, 29, 30, February 4, 7, 11; 4 p.m., January 18, Aorangi, 4 p.m., February 15, Niagara.

JAMAICA

1.10 p.m., January 16, 20, 22.

WEST INDIES

1.10 p.m., January 20, 22.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

1.10 p.m., January 20, February 3, 8, 17, 22, March 3, 8, 17, 22.

COMEDIENNE OF ERRORS

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 14 (AP)—An auto-renting company has filed suit for $203 damages against Illeana Laurel, dancing wife of comedian Stan Laurel, charging she rented a car last April, drove it at excessive speed, ran through a boulevard stop and finally wrecked it against a tree. In reply, Mrs. Laurel declared it was the plaintiff's fault, saying: "Nobody asked if she had a driver's licence and she didn't know how to drive anyway."

EVENING SPENT STORY-TELLING

Thermopylae Club Members Enjoyed Salty Yarns at Monthly Meeting

Another monthly meeting of the Thermopylae Club passed into history during the week. The ship-lovers met in the rooms of the Naval Veterans' Branch of the Canadian Legion, and after hearing a report by Supercargo Phillipsen on the very successful annual dinner during holiday week, the evening was devoted to story telling, a number of fine yarns being told by officers and crew.

Shipmate White started the yarn-ball rolling by telling about ships with coal cargoes taking fire. His recollections recalled similar memories in the experiences of others, all of which had to be mentioned. Cook Kemp told about the Connector, the strangest ship ever built, which could divide itself into three detachable parts, each one of which was an independent vessel. It was built to travel in both directions at the same time, while part of it was still in port. The Connector was launched in England in 1863.

Then Shipmate McDonald related some experiences of his own in an old collier operating between Bristol Channel ports and the Spanish coast. Shipmate Littlejohn, who had met Captain J. C. Voss, of Tillikum fame, on several occasions in South Africa, had some interesting things to tell about the adventurer, while First Mate Goring related several instances where sailing vessels had been navigated into port with mates as masters.

VANCOUVER SHIPPING

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14—The Japanese freighter Asakaze Maru, on her maiden voyage, suffered her second misadventure in Pacific waters today when she went aground in heavy fog off Dash Point, a mile outside of Tacoma harbor.

The ship was refloated and was not believed to have suffered damage. She suffered an engine breakdown near Victoria during a heavy storm two weeks ago.

Two Holland motorships, Alioth and Alphard, new sistership of the Nievelt Goudriaan & Co. Line, were in Vancouver today loading full cargoes for the United Kingdom.

Both vessels are chartered by Empire Shipping Company and each is taking out its second full cargo of the season.

Examination of applicants for the post of assistant supervising examiner for masters and mates on the Pacific Coast closed on December 1 1938.

Thirteen masters applied on this Coast and will be selected before Captain Lionel G Lindsay, Western supervising examiner, and Captain C. L. Waterhouse, Halifax, supervising examiner for the Eastern division.

The passenger-freighter Elisabeth Bakke, of the Knutsen Line, arrived here today from Belfast after a voyage of twenty-two days. Sophie Bakke, sistership, arrived yesterday after a twenty-two-day voyage from Glasgow.

The Transportation and Customs Bureau of Vancouver Board of Trade will hold its annual dinner and meeting on board the Princess Kathleen, Canadian Pacific Steamship at Pier B-C next Friday. The board will elect seventeen members to the executive.

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Plant of Pacific Coast Terminals Will Be Enlarged

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 14 (CP)—Expansion of the main plant of Pacific Coast Terminals to cost approximately $200,000 was outlined to the Civic Administration recently by W. B. Lanigan, president of the company, it was learned today.

The work involves widening of the existing No. 1 deck about twenty feet, and extending it down the river to provide decking for one additional vessel.

New trackage destined to speed up loading and unloading of freight is included in the scheme.

POSSESSES LOT OF INFORMATION

Local Publication Should Prove Valuable to Both Commercial And Sport Fishermen

The "Fishermen's Guide" which George Willis, its publisher, is now distributing, should prove valuable to all who get their living harvesting the fish of our tidal waters.

The little book apparently considered a good medium by advertisers, contains a considerable amount of information, not only for the professional fisherman but for the amateur interested in sport fishing as well.

The "Fishermen's Guide" contains tide tables for Victoria, Vancouver, Sand Heads and Clayoquot, and the regulations of the Tyee Club, Campbell River, and the Victoria and Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association.

Also of interest are customs regulations, meaning of signals, steering and sailing rules, as well as contributions on boat owning and commercial fishing by Margaret Willis and John George, respectively; while there is an illuminative page covering some history in the career of Captain Angus Walters, of the Nova Scotia schooner Bluenose.

HOLD WEEKLY SHOOT

The Rainbow Rifle Club held its weekly shoot yesterday afternoon at the Drill Hall. Using the D.C.R.A. target, the results were as follows:

"A" Class—N. Anderson, 99; W. Brown, 98; R. Saturley, 99; W. Acland, 97; C. Bates, 96; W. Henry, 94; D. Filewood, 94; F. Greensmith, 94.

"B" Class—Miss S. Jones, 94; Miss B. Stonham, 94; Herriott, 91.

"C" Class—F. E. Belson, 96; Miss M. Acland, 94; Miss Rayment, 93; Miss A. Wood, 91; A. Cutler, 87; Mrs. M. Bates, 81; Miss G. McAnerin, 78. E. Sole, 77; J. Gwilt, 75.

Extension Being Made to Factory Building in City

Additions to Moore & Whittington's sash and door factory on Bridge Street to house additional door-making machinery were commenced during the past week under the first building permit taken out in the city for 1939.

Ninety feet in length, a two-story extension with galvanized iron walls is being made to the existing building, and the construction work is expected to be completed by the end of this month, after which the installation of the most up-to-date door-making machinery, electrically driven, will be commenced.

The new machinery will be brought here from the Mainland when the building is ready, and it is expected that it will be installed and in operation by the middle or end of March.



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DUNCAN KINSMEN ARRANGE DINNER

Meet at Cowichan Country Club—Plan Dance for January 27—Ladies' Night Later

DUNCAN, Jan. 14—Duncan Kinsmen held a dinner meeting at the Cowichan County Club, Wednesday evening, the president, T. Kilpatrick, in the chair. There were twenty-two members present and four new members elected, the new ones being Tony Hilliyard, Hugh Carbery, P. E. Wilkinson and Basil Prevost.

Arrangements were made for a dance, to be held January 27, and a ladies' night with dinner and dance in February.

J. Gillatt gave an interesting account of the installation conducted at Nanaimo last Tuesday, at which T. Kilpatrick and A. R. Mann, of the Duncan branch, conducted the ceremonies.

P. E. Wilkinson read an extract from the club bulletin on the significance of the Kinsmen crest.

Discussion on the projected wading pool for the local park followed, and it was decided to ask Eric Green, secretary of the Athletic Park Association, to address the next meeting on park plans.

"J. B. Turnbull, guest speaker for the evening, explained in detail the new hospitalization scheme which is being adopted at the King's Daughters' Hospital. R. J. McNeill expressed the Kinsmen's thanks to the speaker for his address.

New Vicar: "Are people subject to colds in this part? Quite a lot of people had coughs during my sermon."

Old Verger: "Coughs, sir—them ain't coughs, them's time-signals."

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NO. 29—EIGHTY-FIRST YEAR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 1939

SHAMROCKS SCORE SECOND WIN OVER VICTORIA

Sunderland Wins Over Derby Team In Feature Game

Pace-Setters Beaten in First Division Race by 1-0—Everton Triumphs—Hull City Swamps Carlisle in Extraordinary Match, 11-1—Blackburn in Victory

LONDON, Jan. 14 (CP).—Leaders in the four divisions of the English Football League struck an off-day today failing to muster more than one point between them. Standings remain unchanged, however the pacemaking clubs being separated from challenging squads by good margins.

Matches were played on heavy grounds in foggy weather, visibility being quite bad in some districts. All players wore black armbands, and a brief silence was observed in memory of Charles E. Sutcliffe, seventy-three-year-old president of the football league, who died Wednesday.

Sunderland proved too strong for Derby County at Roker Park and the 1-0 defeat left the Midlanders with a 3-point margin over Everton in the First Division. Blackburn Rovers, in the Second Division, has the slimmest margin of the league's leading squads. Following their 2-1 defeat at Swansea, the Lancastrians are one ahead of Sheffield United.

In the Third Division's Southern Section Newport County suffered the fourth defeat of the current campaign, Northampton Town winning at home, 1-0. But the Welshmen retain a five-point advantage over Crystal Palace, who defeated Port Vale in London by the only goal of the game. Barnsley, Northern loop leader, salvaged a point at home against New Brighton, the game ending in a 1-1 stalemate.

HULL RUNS WILD

In an extraordinary match at Hull, the home team ran riot against Carlisle to win, 11-1, against Carlisle United in a Northern Section, Third Division match. The score was a club record for Hull City, who led, 4-1, at half-time and then overwhelmed the opposing team. Dickinson ran in three goals; Cunliffe, Davies and Hubbard got two each; Richardson and Robinson tallying the others. Hunt replied for Carlisle.

Showing only rare flashes of the form that has made it the most formidable team in England this season, Derby County was subdued throughout by Sunderland. Burbanks scored the match-winning goal after nine minutes of play, and from that point to the end of the game the Midlanders' forwards were balked by the home team's halves and backs.

While Everton improved its position with a 2-1 victory over Arsenal, a tired Middlesbrough squad surrendered third place in the standing to Liverpool and Wolverhampton Wanderers by losing, 4-2, to Chelsea. The visitors rested four players in view of Monday's third-round English Cup replay with Bolton Wanderers. Payne rammed home three of the pensioners' goals, Argue getting the other. Higham and Cassell were Middlesbrough's marksmen.

Liverpool, with a weakened team, won, 3-1, against Charlton Athletic in London and brought its total to twenty-nine points. Wolverhampton made it 5-2 over Brentford.

PERFORMS HAT TRICK

Bolton Wanderers and Leeds United drew, 2-2, in a strange contest that saw Goslin, Wanderers' right-half perform a hat trick unique in soccer's history. Goslin converted two penalty kicks and then headed through his own goal allowing Leeds to equalize. Hodgson had previously tallied for the Yorkshiremen.

After scoring nineteen goals in three matches, Manchester City's grand Second Division drive was stopped at Luton, where the home team gained a 3-0 verdict. Connolly ran in two goals and Billington the third.

One of the tightest duels of the day was staged at Northampton, where Tilson netted the million-dollar goal against Newport County. York City had a full share of bad luck in succumbing, 7-0, to Rochdale. The home team was trailing 2-0, when Pinder suffered a leg injury and was forced to retire. Wynn, Firth and Vause each scored twice for the victors, the seventh goal going to Duff.

DIVISION I

Aston Villa 3, Blackpool 1.
Bolton Wanderers 2, Leeds United 2.
Charlton Athletic 1, Liverpool 3.
Chelsea 4, Middlesbrough 2.
Everton 2, Arsenal 0.
Huddersfield Town 3, Portsmouth 0.
Manchester 3, Grimsby Town 1.
Preston North End 2, Leicester City 1.
Stoke City 6, Birmingham 3.
Sunderland 1, Derby County 0.
Wolverhampton Wanderers 5, Brentford 2.

DIVISION II

Bradford 1, Millwall 0.
Burnley 2, Newcastle United 0.
Chesterfield-Fulham, postponed; grounds unfit.
Luton Town 3, Manchester City 0.
Plymouth Argyle 1, Norwich City 0 (abandoned after 55 minutes).
Sheffield United 1, West Bromwich Albion 1.
Southampton 0, Coventry City 2.
Swansea Town 2, Blackburn Rovers 1.
Tottenham Hotspurs 4, Notts Forest 1.
Tranmere Rovers 1, Sheffield Wednesday 4.
West Ham United 0, Bury 0.

DIVISION III

Northern Section

Accrington Stanley 0, Barrow 2.
Barnsley 1, New Brighton 1.
Darlington 1, Crew Alexandra 0.
Gateshead 2, Doncaster Rovers 0.
Hartlepools United 0, Southport 2.
Hull City 11, Carlisle United 1.
Lincoln City 4, Bradford City 0.
Oldham Athletic 1, Halifax Town 0.
Stockport County 0, Chester 0.
Wrexham 2, Rotherham United 0.
York City 0, Rochdale 7.

Southern Section

Aldershot 1, Torquay United 1.
Bristol City 1, Swindon Town 1.
Cardiff City 2, Ipswich Town 1.
Crystal Palace 1, Port Vale 0.
Exeter City 3, Reading 2.
Mansfield Town 2, Bournemouth 0.
Northampton Town 1, Newport County 0.
Notts County 1, Clapton Orient 0.
Queen's Park Rangers 1, Brighton and Hove Albion 2.
Southend United 3, Bristol Rovers 2.
Walsall 2, Watford 0.

Wife—"You were talking in your sleep last night, dear."

Husband—"Well, I've got to talk sometimes, haven't I?"

CITY SHUTTLE CHAMPION IN FINE VICTORY

Joyce Thomson Defeats Eleanor Young in Mid-Island Final

(Special to The Colonist)

DUNCAN, Jan. 14.—Joyce Thomson, Victoria city shuttle champion, created a surprise here tonight in the final of the women's singles in the Mid-Island badminton championship contest by scoring a sensational straight victory over Eleanor Young, Vancouver city title-holder, by scores of 11-8, 11-7. In the semi-final rounds, Miss Thomson eliminated Barbara Mitchell, Edmonton, 11-8, 11-9, while the Mainland miss accounted for Margaret Addison, Duncan, 6-11, 11-8, 11-7.

In the final of the men's singles, Eric Leney, home club star, chalked up an extra-set triumph over George Lane, Victoria city champion, 10-15, 15-4, 15-11. Lane conquered J. Parker, Duncan, in the semis, 15-5, 15-8, while Leney had no trouble whipping V. Knox, Duncan, 15-4, 15-1. Leney and Lane teamed up to capture the men's doubles from Hincks and Watt, of Brentwood Club, 15-11, 18-17. The winners reached the last bracket by trimming Parker and Clayton in the semi-finals, 15-1, 15-5, and Drennan Hincks and Jimmy Watt put out Aitken and Robinson just as easily, 15-3, 15-4.

WIN DOUBLES

Eleanor Young and Vess O'Shea, both of Vancouver, came through in the women's doubles final, beating out Joyce Thomson and Barbara Mitchell, 8-15, 15-10, 15-5. The Mainlanders scored over J. Cavanagh and C. Milne, 15-3, 15-2, in the semis, and Misses Thomson and Mitchell downed Margaret Addison and Doris Robinson, 15-12, 18-16.

Leney figured in another title when he went to the courts with Mrs. Lomas and registered a three-set win over George Lane and Barbara Mitchell in the mixed final. The scores were 15-10, 10-15, 18-14. Leney and Mrs. Lomas beat Parker and Miss O'Shea in the semis, and Lane and Miss Mitchell put out Johnson and Miss Harwood.

Successful in Life-Saving Examinations



Members of the Victoria High School Swimming Club who were successful in passing the Royal Life-Saving Society's examination for the bronze medallion, are pictured above. The class is the first ever put through at the Victoria High School, and the result has created considerable interest in life saving. Those in the picture are: Back row, left to right, H. Farquhar (examiner), Marjorie Delf, Ethel Fitchett, Hazel Hutchinson, D. Smith (instructor), Mary Farr, Annie MacLean and Mrs. M. E. Ellison (examiner). Front row, right to left, Crystal Lorbeer, Faith Sinclair, Norma Emery, Peggy Rance and Betty Paul.

Gosum Heads Field In $10,000 Race at Santa Anita Track

Sensataional Burst of Speed During Last Sixteenth To Win San Pasqual Handicap—Returns $37.00—No Dice Is Second and Quick Devil Third—40,000 in Attendance

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 14 (AP).—Shoving the big-name favorites far into the background, Nelson A. Howard's Gosum captured the $10,000 San Pasqual Handicap at Santa Anita Park today, as Main Man, Esposa, Heelfly and other short-priced top-notchers ran out of the money.

Jockey Archie Gray booted Gosum into a sensational burst of speed in the last sixteenth of the mile-and-one-eighth race and came on in to win by a length over A. A. Baroni's No Dice.

Further confounding the handicappers, Louis B. Mayer's Quick Devil ran third, as the rest of the eligibles for the $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap trailed in.

Esposa, the splendid mare owned by William Zeigler, which had been expected to make her debut at Santa Anita a successful one, and which had been installed a 5-2 favorite, finished tenth, while Alfred G. Vanderbilt's Heelfly was tabbed in the seventh position.

The winner, never out of striking distance of the leaders, was timed at 1:50.

The crowd of 40,000 wagered $139,749 on the race, and Gosum's win was worth $37, $13.80 and $8.20 across the board. No Dice paid $15.20 and $8.20, and Quick Devil $4.

FIRST RACE—Seven furlongs
Airacuda (Wall) $8.80 $4.80 $4.00
Repsac (Richards) 21.40 10.00
Hysterical (Coucci) 4.60
Time, 1.23 4-5. Also ran: Playful Wink, Mickeys Best, Mad Sue, Blazing Heat, Naperton, Chief Gamble.

SECOND RACE—One mile
Real Clear (Gray) 15.20 $4.20 $3.00
Barnsley (Stevenson) 20.60 8.80
Don Roberto (Coucci) 5.00
Time, 1.37 2-5. Also ran: Bilsinger, Lloyd Pan, Cannibal, Xenomay, Cayenne.

THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs
Stimuli (Corbett) $24.20 $9.40 $4.60
Woodberry (Stevenson) 5.80 3.80
Many Stings (Vanlassel) 3.40
Time, 1.23. Also ran: Today, High Lark, Chance View, Orientalist.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Kayak II (Neves) $6.00 $3.40 $2.80
First Kiss (Gray) 3.40 2.80
Lavenero (Wall) 4.00
Time, 1.10 2-5. Also ran: Mar Le Mosawtre, Grand Man tou, Red Pepper, Aviso.

FIFTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth
Rhinas (Lounden) $17.80 $6.80 $4.60
Dah Me (Workman) 3.80 3.00
Wild Turkey (Wall) 3.80
Time, 1.50 2-5. Also ran: Mount Vernon II, Gilla Clay, Olimpo, Count Atlas, White Sand.

Sixth Race—Mile and one-eighth
Gosum (Gray) $37.00 $13.80 $8.20
No Dice (Corbett) 15.20 8.20
Quick Devil (Bierman) 4.00
Time, 1.50. Also ran: Esposa, Melodist, Piccolo, Main Man, Count Arthur, Indian Broom, Bourbon King, Carvola, Sweepalot, Heel Fly, Sir Raleigh.

SEVENTH RACE—Two miles
Malicious (Adams) $8.00 $4.80 $4.00
Bosford (Bier) 9.00 6.40
Golden Nut (Reynolds) 9.60
Time, 3.28 2-5. Also ran: Reign Begoe, Hunterdon, Never Never, Swift Gala Thistle, Air, Answer True, Its Own, East Calling, Anhelation.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Bunny Martin (Ward) $19.40 $7.60 $5.00
Undulate (Corbett) 4.80 3.60
Headhunter (Polk) 5.80
Time, 1.45 1-5. Also ran: Cerro, Air Man, Bar Play, First Bid, Jargo, Bosford, Gyral, Onus, Khayyam.

ENGLISH RUGBY

LONDON, Jan. 14 (CP).—English Rugby League matches played today resulted as follows:

Barrow 20, Hunslet 2.
Batley 0, Hull 5.
Bradford Northern-Huddersfield (postponed).
Featherstone-Rochdale (postponed).
Halifax 15, Swinton 7.
Hull Kingston 11, Dewsbury 0.
Leeds 27, York 5.
Leigh 5, Widnes 8.
Liverpool Stanley 12, Bramley 4.
Oldham 10, Keighley 6.
Salford 37, St. Helens 0.
St. Helens Recs 0, Broughton Rangers 17.
Wakefield Trinity-Wigan (postponed).
Warrington 13, Castleford 27.

IMPROVEMENTS AT GOLF CLUB

Extensive Programme of Work Will Be Carried Out At Uplands

A programme of extensive improvements to the Uplands Golf Club will be carried out this year, it was announced yesterday by Robert Williams, chairman of the greens committee, following the first executive meeting of the club held this year.

"We are taking advantage of the mild weather and starting early in the hope that we can advance the work to a stage where the course will be in its best condition by early Spring," Mr. Williams stated, on behalf of his committee.

Under the supervision of Alex Muirhead, supervisor of greens, the heavy rollers are now being run over the fairways, firming up replaced divots and smoothing off the ground so as to remove turfiness and generally condition the fairways for better playing.

The sandpit near the fourth green also has been reopened and sixty yards of sand sifted so as to carry out extensive improvements to the bunkers. All bunkers will be well filled with sand, and it is proposed to tap this source of supply so as to keep the bunkers in good condition throughout the year.

TOP DRESSINGS

Preparations are now being made to give further top dressings to the greens. Considerable tee alterations are contemplated with a view to keeping rubber and green tees completely separate from one another. New turf is being grown so as to expand the size of the green tees and it is proposed to use the green tees throughout this year. Further development of new green tees is contemplated, Mr. Williams stated.

Purchase of new fairway machinery and units have been decided upon, and this equipment will further facilitate the improvements that are contemplated.

"Just as soon as the rolling has been completed the greensmen, who are being kept employed instead of being layed off during the Winter months, will go over every fairway and reseed divot holes that have not shown signs of healing.

All drains were inspected some weeks ago, and the improvement was noticeable during the heavy rains that occurred recently, when it was possible to play good golf on all fairways and greens, Mr. Williams said.

Further improvements will be announced, the chairman stated, when these are decided upon.

Two Pendray Cup Football Matches—Billed Wednesday

HUDSON'S Bay and Navy, top elevens in the Pendray Cup mid-week football race, will meet Wednesday afternoon at the Royal Athletic Park. Bays defeated City, 3-1, and sailors eked out a 2-1 triumph over the Diamond "S" boys in opening cup matches, played last week. Out at Beacon Hill Park Spencers and Victoria City will meet in a game that will lift the winner out of the cellar position. Kick-offs are set for 2.30 o'clock.

NEW YORK HOOPMEN SET BACK DOMINOES AT HIGH GYM, 33-21

Touring Professional Basketballers Hold Locals In Check in Final Quarter to Take Decision—Play in Chemainus This Afternoon—Eight Aces Defeat the Ramblers

Touring New York Shamrocks, professional cagemen who play basketball practically every day in the week, made it two straight over the Victoria Dominoes when they checked in with a 33-21 victory in last night's exhibition at the High School gymnasium. Friday evening the New Yorkers eked out a 33-32 triumph before only a fair attendance, and had the fans standing in their seats most of the time. Last night the large gymnasium was packed, with even standing room at a premium.

Today the Shamrocks trace their steps Up-Island again, this time to meet Chemainus. The game will be the seventh on Vancouver Island for the New Yorkers, and will be played this afternoon. Advance reports indicate a "sell out" for the exhibition attraction.

Dominoes were really in the ball game for three-quarters last night, but dropped away in the final canto. Locals showed in front four times during the exhibition, but when the Shamrocks took the lead at 17-16 seven minutes after the start of the third quarter, the Dominoes never once pulled up on even terms.

CHAPMAN HIGH SCORER

Husky "Chuck" Chapman, playing captain, led Dominoes' attack with ten points. It was his marksmanship that gave the locals their first lead in the ball game at 5-4. He made it 6-4 seconds later, and then Hraba knotted the tally at 6-6. "Hank" Rowe scored under the hoop, and as the quarter drew to a close Fash dropped home the equalizer. The score was 8-8 at the breather.

In the first five minutes of the second canto neither club scored, and when Roy Taylor put the Dominoes ahead the fans roared their approval. Shamrocks called time out, and as play resumed Shipper, lanky centre, made two foul shots good. Fash scored a field basket, and Wade tallied from the strip just at the gong. The half-time score was 13-10 for the Shamrocks.

At the start of the third canto Hraba made it 15-10, and then for a few minutes the Dominoes really held the upper hand, running in three quick baskets with "Chuck" Chapman scoring the first two and Art Chapman dropping home the points that gave the locals the lead at 16-15.

Shipper tallied from the "bucket" a few minutes later, and the visitors went ahead again. Shamrocks added five points to the Dominoes' two before the session ended, and were leading 22-18 at three-quarter time.

New Yorkers had a big edge in the final quarter, adding eleven points while the Dominoes were scoring three.

"Busher" Jackson returned to the local line-up after a lay-off on account of sickness, but failed to crash the scoring column. "Hank" Rowe was Victoria's second highest scorer with six points.

Shamrocks divided the point-getting very evenly with Fash, Hraba, Wade and Shipper doing all of the scoring.

In the second game on the programme Eight Aces, smart intermediate "A" boys' quintette, added another triumph to their impressive string when they defeated the Ramblers, 33-22. In the curtain raiser, a Sunday School League fixture, Bombers turned back the Midland Miners, 19-14.

Referee, Joe Murray, Seattle; umpire, Bill Levy, Victoria.

New York Shamrocks — Rankin, Fash (9), Hraba (9), Wade (7) and Shipper (8). Total 33.

Victoria Dominoes — Taylor (2), Davies, Rowe (6), Mylrea, A. Chapman (3), C. Chapman (10), Patterson and Jackson. Total 21.

Eight Aces—R. Price (1), Whitfield (4), Smith (3), W. Price, Clague (7), Acreman (16) and Pridham (2). Total 33.

Ramblers—Patterson (5), Oakley (2), Sparks (6), VanDruten (1), Baker (2), Piercey (4) and Hope (2). Total 22.

Bombers — Uttke, Jackson (3), Bennet (4), Mason (4), Ross (6), Sellik and Coates (2). Total 19.

Midland Miners — Ellis, Manton (6), Ellis (4), Willy (4) and Williams. Total 14.

SAINTS BEAT POLICE TEAM

Capture 3-0 Decision in Replay of Mainland Cup Semi-Final

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14 (CP).—Saint Saviours found their soccer power ready to blank Vancouver Police, 3-0, in the replay of the Mainland Cup semi-final and qualified to meet North Shore United in the final next Saturday.

The Tigers rapped in two goals in the opening half on a muddy pitch before 1,700 fans and clinched the battle with another marker in the second session.

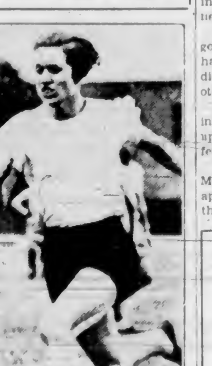
The two teams went to a 1-1 draw in the semi-final last Saturday, necessitating today's replay.

Dave Brown banged in the first goal midway through the opening half and was followed almost immediately by Bud Sandland with another marker.

Though leading 2-0 as they went into the second half, the Saints kept up their smart offensive that was the feature of the game.

Midway through the session Doug McKay, a junior making his first appearance for the Tigers, netted the third goal.

Olympic Games Star Here This Week



HELEN STEPHENS

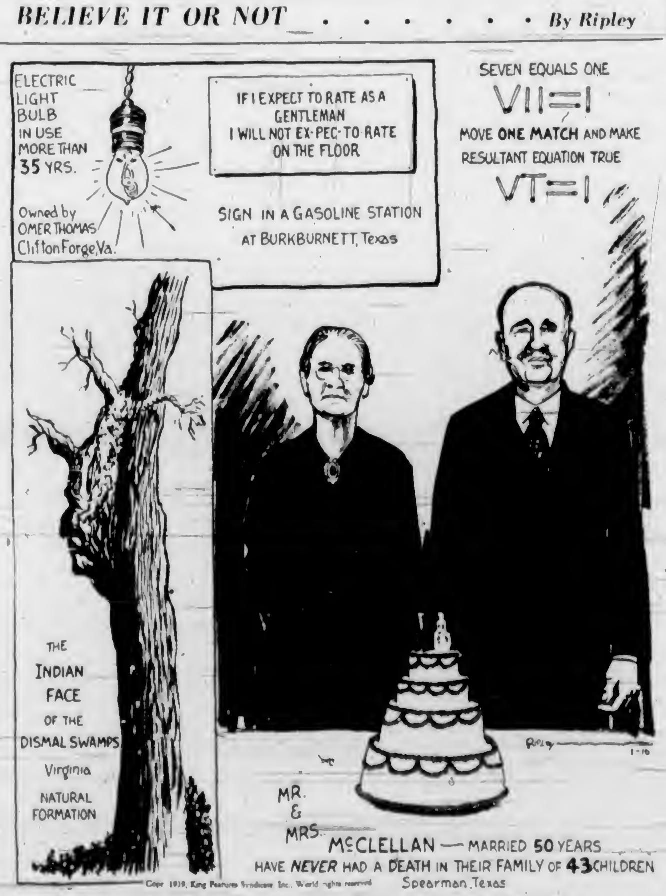
WORLD'S fastest woman runner and holder of the world record for the 100 metres, established at the Olympic Games at Berlin in 1936, who will make a personal appearance at the High School on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, with the Olympic Co-Eds, touring girls' basketball quintette. The visitors will play against all-star teams selected from the Senators, Northwestern Creamery and Palm Dairies, local senior "A" men's clubs. Two preliminary games, with the first starting at 7 o'clock, will be played each evening.

Jesse Longfield Chosen Head of Five C's Eleven

JESSE LONGFIELD, well-known local cricketer, was last evening re-elected president of the Five C's Club for the ensuing year, at the annual meeting, held in The Colonist board room. A. W. Kerslake, after being complimented on his last year's work, was returned as secretary, while George Petch will look after the treasurer's duties again. Eric Quainton, captain for the last two seasons, will guide the squad again, and George Payne will be the vice-skipper. Mr. Petch was also appointed the club's delegate to the Victoria and District Cricket Association. Hon. E. W. Hamber, Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, was made honorary patron.

The batting and bowling averages for last season were read, and the winners were highly praised for their performances.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . By Ripley



EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

The Military Experts Scoffed—The only man who accurately foresaw the nature of the World War and predicted its duration and catastrophal effects was not a military leader or a warrior but a Polish business man, banker and pacifist. He was Jean De Bloch, of Warsaw (1836-1902).

In his seven-volume work, entitled "The Future War in Its Technical, Economical and Political Relation," published in 1898, he described the World War with almost clairvoyant insight. He said "the war will last so long that it would result in exhaustion and starvation of the warring powers, in revolution and extermination of the losing side." Before the World War, military "experts" scoffed at this prophecy of a non-professional.

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DICK METZ MOVES INTO GOLF LEAD AT OAKLAND

Chicago Pro Tops $5,000 Open Meet With Card of 204

Shoots Brilliant 65 in Third Round to Take One-Stroke Lead—Harrison Sets Record With 64 And Is Second—Todd Cards 75—Leonard Is Ten Strokes Behind the Leader

OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 14 (AP).—Two par-shattering scores changed the golfing picture here today as the field marched through the third round of the seventy-two-hole $5,000 Oakland open tournament.

Setting the pace was Dick Metz, of Chicago, with a fifty-four-hole total of 204. His five under par 65 would have been the talk of the tournament had not E. J. "Dutch" Harrison, Oak Park, Ill., barged in just ahead with a super-golfing effort of 64.

These two rounds set the stage for a new leader and a runner-up in the eighteen-hole drive down the home stretch tomorrow, at the end of which the winner will find a purse of $1,200.

Ten strokes behind the leader was Stan Leonard, Vancouver, B.C., pro, who added a 71 to his second-round total of 143 for a smooth 214.

The other Vancouverite, Benny Colk, shot a 76 today for a total of 226, while Jimmy Todd, of Victoria, the third British Columbian in the tourney, shot a 75 to end up one stroke behind Colk with 227.

MOVES INTO LEAD

Metz moved from a tie for fifth place into the leadership. Except for a bogey found on the seventeenth, when he hooked an iron shot, he would have equaled the competitive course record. Harrison tied it with seven birdies, through some deadeye putting and a remarkable recovery from a trap on the eighteenth, despite one slip when he three-putted the tenth.

Harrison's feat moved him up from a tie for tenth yesterday into second position.

In third place was Ben Hogan, of White Plains, N.Y., with 206. Mary Fry, of Oakland, followed with 207, and Marvin "Bud" Ward, Olympia, Wash., amateur, was in fifth spot at 208. Hogan and Fry carded 68's and Ward a 70 today.

Horton Smith, of Oak Park, Ill., leader at the halfway mark yesterday with 136, slipped badly to take a 73 and fall back into a sixth place tie with Jimmy Demaret, Houston, Tex., at 209.

OUT OF RUNNING

Practically out of the running for first prize at the end of fifty-four holes were such noted performers as Sam Snead, West Virginia, who was the leading money winner of 1938; Harold McSpaden, of Winchester, Mass.; Ed Dudley, Philadelphia; John Revolta, Evanston, Ill., and Harry Cooper, Chicopee, Mass. Snead and McSpaden were bracketed at 212, Dudley at 215, Revolta at 217 and Cooper at 218. Snead with a 74 today experienced the most trouble with missed putts and misdirected fairway shots.

FAIR GROUNDS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, Jan. 14.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
False Card (Bowen) ... $20.80 $8.00 $4.60
Good Memory (Hankel) ... 3.00 2.80
Overplay (Oros) ... 3.20
Time, 1.46 2-5. Also ran: Wanderobo, Royal Flight, Phantom Fox, Cardibre.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Golden Chimes (Krovitz) 17.40 $4.00 $3.20
War Trade (Pascuma) ... 6.20 4.40
Termotime (Bowen) ... 3.00
Time, 1.14 2-5. Also ran: Pretty Hasty, Holton, Prunay, Ellie, Buttons B., Kosse, Viernes Santo, Peggy Byrd.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Jadaan (McTague) ... $12.40 $8.20 $4.00
Tramway (Pascuma) ... 7.20 4.60
Machob (Keiper) ... 3.40
Time, 1.13 4-5. Also ran: Sound Wave, Dolly E., Skippy McGee, Sister Polly, Royal Broom, Patchpocket, Twinkle Feet, Zatao, Henry M.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Hope Diamond (Conley) ... $18.60 $8.80 $3.80
Torch Stick (Eccard) ... 3.60 2.80
My Day (Krovitz) ... 3.60
Time, 1.13 4-5. Also ran: Dick Naishapur, Rodef, Papalinda, Bright.

FIFTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Catomar (Duffy) ... $11.20 $5.20 $3.40
Whippowill (Hauer) ... 11.40 5.20
Cash O Boy (Krovitz) ... 2.80
Time, 1.44 2-5. Also ran: Jubilee C., Peal Play, Dusky Prince, Little Nymph, Zevson.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Brown Knight (Calvert) ... $9.20 $4.40 $3.20
Old Rosebush (Cornay) ... 5.00 3.80
White Cockade (Loturco) ... 3.20
Time, 1.12 1-5. Also ran: Fairflax, Grey Streak, Chief Nad, Time Signal, Spillway.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth:
It's Gay (Page) ... $7.00 $4.00 $3.20
Justa Flight (Oros) ... 18.20 10.20
Bold Monkey (Cowley) ... 7.00
Time, 1.5?2-5. Also ran: Autumn Leaves, Lovvin, Saylonia, Macpop, Irreen, Buzzshoot, Wittul, Crack Boy, Scarlet O.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Pumpkin ... 107
Celtic Legend ... 112
Labor Day ... 104
Dixie Basheer ... 113
Stepping Time ... 115
All Lord ... 110
Mediaeve ... 108
Roy Valet ... 112
Colonel Joe ... 107

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Unreconciled ... 111
Summe Time ... 102
Miss Reptile ... 107
Wind... Rose ... 102
Rolling Heels ... 107
Pleurante ... 102
Royal Halfpenny ... 117
Miss Iao ... 106
Snooky Kins ... 112
Irish Date ... 107
Roll Around ... 107
Pie Glad ... 102
Miss Day ... 107
La Roser ... 107
Miss Selma ... 107
Fleet Pat ... 102
Oil Boom ... 107
Amolay ... 102

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Dyak ... 117
Clean Cut ... 107
No Doubt ... 117
Long Hill ... 112
Eternal Wave ... 117
Zanny ... 112
Freeze ... 112
Cera Morrisse ... 112
Synod ... 117
Red Gaiter ... 112
Ailerey ... 107
Fob ... 117
Broadway Girl ... 107
Game ... 107
Apropos ... 107
Pavline ... 112
My Dess ... 107
Da Ne Be ... 107

FOURTH RACE—Two furlongs:
Tex Tal ... 114
John Oldham ... 114
Itr Wave ... 111
Arden Lass ... 111
Rob Volt ... 114
Palmers T ... 111
Connie Gal ... 111
Shady Sue ... 111
Jean Baue ... 111
Miss Greenock ... 114
My Red ... 111
Jacqueline High ... 111
Dis Is It ... 114
Neaopi ... 111
Haughty Jack ... 114
La Chiquita ... 111
Selma May ... 111
Gulf Tide ... 111

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Medeman ... 116
Waxwing ... 111
Trickwick ... 109
Laro Keys ... 105
Adolf ... 111
Sanctity ... 116
Seymour W ... 103
Lucky Ducky ... 104
Yule Star ... 104
Purple Wrack ... 104
Good Omen ... 106
Dedication ... 110

SIXTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Lucky Star ... 108
Prince Sador ... 103
Casino Head ... 105
Blond Spook ... 110
Masterpiece ... 111
Sweet Adeline ... 98

SEVENTH RACE — Mile and seventy yards:
Unlawful ... 107
Catawoop ... 112
Noaalo ... 102
Pirate Lass ... 105
Fluke ... 112
Prince Cloud ... 107
Stormy Sea ... 111
Dinna Do ... 102
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Westerns Defeat Stacys, 54-49, in Mainland League

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14 (CP).—Westerns defeated Stacys, 54-49, and Tookes downed Varsity, 44-39, in Inter-City Basketball League games here tonight, and the contests still left the winners sharing the series leadership with fourteen points each.

The 1938 Canadian champions started slow and Stacys were ahead, 11-9, at the end of the first quarter. From then on, however, Westerns were masters of the situation, leading, 26-21, at the half and 43-39 at the three-quarter mark.

High man of the evening was George Siborne, of Stacys, who tossed up nineteen points, ten of them in the third quarter. Art Willoughby, Joe Ross and Jack Gordon snared a dozen each for Westerns.

RAITH ROVERS SCORE SECOND SURPRISE WIN

Defeat Motherwell in Scottish Soccer, 4-2—Rangers and Hibs Draw

GLASGOW, Jan. 15 (CP).—The clouds seem to be lifting around Kirkcaldy these days. Although still in last place in the Scottish Football League, the town's representative, Raith Rovers, are showing the form they flashed in the Second Division last year.

The club upset all pre-game calculations last week when they swamped the formidable Celtic eleven, 4-0, and on Saturday showed the victory wasn't a fluke when they repeated 4-2 at Motherwell. Raith now has 16 points, deadlocked with Albion Rovers in nineteenth position.

Frost again interfered with the card, forcing postponement of six games—four in the First Division and two in the minor loop.

Held to a 1-1 stalemate at Edinburgh by Hibernians, Glasgow Rangers stretched their major league lead to 10 points over Hearts, who were forced to the sidelines. Aberdeen, victorious 3-1 over Falkirk, climbed into a second-game tie with Hearts, two points ahead of Queen of South and Falkirk.

Celtic, Kilmarnock and Hamilton Academicals share sixth positions. The Celtics and Killies were idle at the week-end, but Hamilton added two points with their 2-0 decision at Perth over St. Johnstone.

DAY'S FEATURE

Best-played contest on the abbreviated card was staged at Easter Road. The ground was frozen and the capacity crowd was treated to a fast ninety-minute struggle. Kean opened the scoring for Hibernians early in the first half and two minutes later Alec Venters, high scorer of the division, equalized, to end scoring for the day.

Another surprise result was posted at Gayfield Park, where Arbroath, seventeenth-position team, defeated Clyde, erstwhile leader, 3-0. McInally started scoring from a penalty in the initial forty-five minutes, and Gould added the other two.

Deadlocked 2-2 going into the second half, Raith Rovers pulled out in front of Motherwell and chalked up maximum points. Whitelaw netted twice, Dunn and O'Keefe splitting the other two. Wales and Mathie were Motherwell's marksmen.

Aberdeen took advantage of the openings at Falkirk and came out on top, 3-1. Strauss scored for the Dons shortly after the opening whistle, and Huskie equalized before the interval. Warnock and Pattillo made victory certain with second-half goals.

Goals by Wilson and Devine late in the game gave Hamilton the points against St. Johnstone, while a first-half goal by Lang was the only goal scored in the Third Lanark-Queen of South contest at Glasgow. The visitors were full value for the decision.

Cowdenbeath retained its three-point lead in the Second Division with a 3-1 verdict over Dumbarton. East Fife, cupholder and runner-up, edged out King's Park, 3-2.

DIVISION I

Arbroath 3, Clyde 0.
Ayr United-Queen's Park (postponed).
Celtic-Albion Rovers (postponed).
Falkirk 1, Aberdeen 3.
Hibernians 1, Rangers 1.
Motherwell 2, Raith Rovers 4.
Partick Thistle - Kilmarnock (postponed).
St. Johnstone 0, Hamilton Academicals 2.
St. Mirren-Hearts (postponed).
Third Lanark 0, Queen of the South 1.

DIVISION II

Airdrieonians 3, Dundee 6.
Brechin City 4, East Stirling 4.
Cowdenbeath 3, Dumbarton 1.
Dundee United 1, Dunfermline 0.
Edinburgh City - Stenhousemuir (postponed).
King's Park 2, East Fife 3.
Montrose 2, Leith Athletic 0.
Morton 0, Alloa 0.
St. Barnards - Forfar Athletic (postponed).

HOCKEY STANDINGS

Standings of teams in the National Hockey League, including last night's games, follow:

	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Boston	17	6	1	66	39	35
Rangers	15	6	2	62	40	32
Americans	12	8	5	65	65	29
Toronto	10	11	4	55	52	24
Chicago	9	14	3	54	67	21
Detroit	7	14	4	52	67	18
Canadiens	5	16	5	52	85	15

Tonight's games:
Canadiens at Americans.
Toronto at Detroit.
Rangers at Chicago.

COAST LEAGUE

	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Portland	19	4	4	96	57	42
Seattle	14	9	5	92	82	33
Vancouver	7	14	5	66	83	19
Spokane	5	18	4	76	86	14

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ARCADE ALLEYS

SENIOR CITY TENPIN LEAGUE

Poodle Dog Cafe—A. Porter, 549; A. Riddell, 549; J. Howell, 535; J. Ferguson, 534; R. Wilson, 522. Total, 2,689.

Five Roses Flour—I. Malcolm, 549; C. Steele, 462; H. Moulton, 510; J. Leetham, 529; J. Quinn, 541. Total, 2,591.

Poodle Dog Cafe won two.

Arcades—A. Benn, 479; C. Kerr, 543; C. Freer, 452; R. Semple, 432; T. Bowden, 462. Total, 2,366.

Colonist—Templeton, 616; low score, 401; B. Peden, 555; A. Hawkins, 530; C. Chislett, 476. Total, 2,578.

Colonist won two.

CANADIAN LEGION FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Naval Vets—A. Worth, 529; W. Holland, 667; J. McBay, 563; W. McBay, 627; C. Chislett, 547. Total, 2,933.

Pro Patria—R. Lea, 699; C. Kinney, 492; W. Talbot, 174; H. Wilkinson, 564; C. Tickle, 696; G. Rawlinson, 131; W. Morry, 157. Total, 2,758.

Britannia—D. Clarke, 818; H. Baker, 514; R. Milburn, 601; V. Scarborough, 503; low score, 482. Total, 2,698.

Naval Vets won two, Pro Patria won one.

BETTER HALVES' FIVEPIN LEAGUE

"A" Team—B. Jenkins, 423; A. Pellow, 376; O. Prior, 435; A. Jarvie, 376. Total, 1,624.

"B" Team—M. Chambers, 470; R. Williams, 518; W. Kendrick, 407; E. Rundell, 361. Total, 1,756.

"C" Team—J. Peirson, 444; D. Hull, 417; M. Pollard, 396; O. Faue, 469. Total, 1,716.

"D" Team—A. Vivian, 382; G. Scott, 349; C. Ockenden, 347; T. Riley, 336. Total, 1,414.

"E" Team—D. Thirlwall, 517; W. Biance, 470; W. Prevost, 383; R. Riches, 436. Total, 1,806.

WOMEN'S TENPIN LEAGUE

Huskies—E. Irvine, 444; I. Goodman, 492; E. McBeath, 436; M. Hurst, 469; handicap, 6. Total, 1,847.

Ga-Gos—N. Burns, 409; M. Worth, 347; C. Burley, 302; A. Johnson, 472; handicap, 255. Total, 1,785.

Huskies won two.

Left-Overs—Judy Hibberd, 514; Fila Stewart, 436; Grace Elves, 55?; low score, 465; low score, 488; handicap, 8. Total, 2,534.

Dynamiters—Ruth Mercer, 513; Kitty Freer, 399; Flo Calder, 458; Doudie McAlpine, 443; Mynnie Baker, 545; handicap, 345. Total, 2,703.

Dynamiters won three.

Brunsdon's—Alyce Armstrong, 469; E. Peden, 487; May Lindley, 424; Betty Elves, 457; Dolly Hume, 537; handicap, 30. Total, 2,404.

Nine Pinners—Erma Stables, 417; Kitty Cameron, 281; Hilda Gray, 389; low score, 422; low score, 443; handicap, 255. Total, 2,207.

Brunsdon's won three.

COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE

Colonist—K. Matthews, 420; A. Stoker, 540; W. Sturken, 528; F. Bardr, 498; R. Turner, 500. Total, 2,484.

Eagles—W. Holness, 278; L. Elves, 400; H. McDonald, 289; J. Paterson, 404; D. Easler, 518; A. Potts, 200; handicap, 14. Total, 2,289.

Colonist won two.

Beavers—R. Mercer, 367; R. Hibbert, 408; L. Allen, 480; B. McKeever, 391. Total, 1,646.

Beavers won three (default).

Coach and Horses—R. Heal, 533; B. Taylor, 496; E. Bouny, 517; A. Nunn, 530; F. Rue?, 474. Total, 2,590.

Arcades—J. R. Angus, 511; A. Spouse, 500; J. Stewart, 419; F. Ray, 128; J. Temple, 526; handicap, 15. Total, 2,549.

Coach and Horses won two.

Rugby Fixtures In Old Country

LONDON, Jan. 14 (CP).—English Rugby Union matches played today resulted as follows:

Bath 6, Northampton 0.
Bedford 23, Coventry 6.
Birkenhead Park 0, Guy's Hosp 6.
Blackheath 3, Harlequins 12.
Bristol 6, The Army 3.
Gloucester 8, Leicester 3.
Old Merchant Taylors 8, Cambridge University 19.
Police 9, Royal Air Force 11.
Richmond 16, United Services 9.
Rosslyn Park 3, London Scottish 8.
St. Bart's Hospital 8, Wasps 9.
St. Mary's Hospital 12, London Welsh 3.
Aberavon 6, Mountain Ash 6.
Bridgend 12, Pontypool 3.
Cross Keys 9, Penarth 0.
Llanelly 0, Cardiff 0 (abandoned after 60 minutes).
Neath 5, Maesteg 0 (abandoned after 60 minutes).
Newport 3, Swansea 0.

International Trial

Scotland 8, The Rest 17.

Present Standing of Clubs in Old Country Soccer

LONDON, Jan. 14 (CP).—Standings in the English, Scottish and Irish Football League, including games played today.

ENGLISH LEAGUE

First Division

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Derby County	25	15	5	5	48	28	35
Everton	24	15	7	2	48	26	32
Wolverhampton W.	24	11	6	7	43	20	29
Liverpool	25	11	7	7	44	38	29
Middlesborough	25	11	8	6	56	41	28
Charlton Athletic	23	11	8	4	33	31	26
Leeds United	24	10	8	6	42	43	28
Stoke City	25	9	9	7	41	48	25
Aston Villa	24	10	10	4	41	38	24
Sunderland	24	9	9	6	32	36	24
Bolton Wanderers	24	7	8	9	40	37	23
Manchester United	24	7	8	9	36	34	23
Grimsby Town	24	6	9	7	34	41	23
Arsenal	23	7	8	8	25	23	22
Chelsea	24	8	11	5	45	48	22
Huddersfield Town	25	8	12	5	34	37	21
Preston North End	23	8	10	5	30	37	21
Blackpool	24	7	10	7	30	41	21
Leicester City	25	6	11	8	31	45	20
Portsmouth	23	8	9	8	24	40	20
Brentford	23	7	11	5	32	49	19
Birmingham	25	7	14	4	41	49	16

Second Division

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Blackburn Rovers	26	15	8	3	80	36	33
Sheffield United	25	11	4	10	42	26	32
Newcastle United	25	13	8	4	44	28	30
Coventry City	24	13	7	4	38	27	30
Sheffield Wednesday	24	12	7	5	62	43	29
West Bromwich	24	13	6	3	62	48	29
Manchester City	24	12	9	3	64	50	27
Luton Town	24	12	9	3	46	39	27
Tottenham Hotspurs	24	10	7	7	40	35	27
Fulham	23	10	7	6	36	30	28
Burnley	26	9	9	6	33	37	26
West Ham United	24	10	9	5	44	33	25
Chesterfield	24	10	9	[illegible]	38	36	25
Bradford City	25	8	9	8	41	47	24
Millwall	24	8	9	7	38	33	23
Bury	25	6	10	9	32	45	21
Plymouth Argyle	23	8	11	4	27	33	20
Southampton	24	7	12	5	34	49	19
Swansea Town	23	4	9	10	26	48	18
Notts Forest	22	5	13	6	30	[illegible]	16
Norwich	22	7	14	1	27	[illegible]	15
Tranmere Rovers	25	4	19	2	26	64	10

Third Division—Southern Section

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Newport County	24	18	4	4	40	24	38
Crystal Palace	22	13	4	5	42	28	31
Brighton	24	13	8	3	42	31	29
Reading	25	9	8	10	42	34	28
Aldershot	23	10	5	8	31	27	28
Northampton	24	12	9	3	37	[illegible]	27
Swindon Town	23	11	8	4	45	36	26
Queens Park Ranger	23	9	7	7	47	29	29
Notts County	22	10	7	5	31	25	25
Cardiff City	23	10	8	5	33	34	25
Bristol City	24	9	9	8	37	39	24
Watford	24	8	10	6	34	34	22
Exeter City	23	7	9	7	38	50	21
Port Vale	22	8	10	4	30	30	20
Southend United	20	7	8	5	38	30	19
Mansfield Town	23	7	11	5	27	48	19
Clapton Orient	21	5	9	7	24	28	17
Ipswich Town	21	8	10	5	25	31	17
Bournemouth	21	5	10	8	20	29	16
Bristol Rovers	23	4	12	7	24	30	15
Torquay United	21	5	11	5	21	35	15
Walsall	22	4	13	5	21	35	13

Third Division—Northern Section

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Barnsley	2?	17	4	4	57	24	38
Southport	22	13	3	8	51	2?	32
Doncaster Rovers	23	10	4	9	43	28	29
Bradford City	24	13	8	3	52	32	29
Crewe Alexander	24	14	9	1	56	37	29
Oldham Athletic	24	13	9	2	48	39	26
Stockport County	22	10	6	6	52	37	26
Hull City	23	11	8	4	51	42	26
Chester	22	10	7	5	53	42	25
New Brighton	24	10	9	5	38	40	25
Barrow	25	11	11	2	43	46	25
Rotherham United	25	11	12	2	41	41	24
Rochdale	25	10	12	3	57	48	23
Darlington	24	9	10	5	43	56	23
Wrexham	25	10	12	3	39	54	23
Halifax Town	24	7	10	7	22	30	22
Carlisle United	23	8	11	4	37	47	20
Lincoln City	24	8	10	6	39	51	20
Gateshead	23	7	12	4	38	45	18
York City	24	6	13	5	33	55	17
Hartlepool	24	6	15	3	31	56	15
Accrington Stanley	25	2	19	4	22	61	8

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

First Division

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Rangers	27	19	3	5	92	44	43
Aberdeen	27	14	8	5	70	45	33
Hearts	28	15	8	3	66	44	33
Queen of South	26	13	8	5	48	43	31
Falkirk	27	13	9	5	55	49	31
Celtic	25	12	7	6	72	39	30
Kilmarnock	28	12	6	6	51	53	30
Hamilton Acads	27	13	10	4	48	51	30
Motherwell	27	12	10	5	63	56	29
Hibernians	27	12	11	4	57	50	28
Partick Thistle	28	12	11	3	48	55	27
Clyde	26	12	12	2	54	54	26
St. Johnstone	26	10	12	4	54	61	24
Third Lanark	26	8	11	7	59	68	23
St. Mirren	26	8	13	5	39	53	21
Ayr United	26	7	13	6	49	62	20
Queen's Park	25	7	14	4	37	55	18
Arbroath	27	5	15	7	31	80	17
Albion Rovers	26	6	16	4	41	86	16
Raith Rovers	27	7	16	2	51	75	16

Second Division

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Cowdenbeath	23	19	1	3	76	28	41
East Fife	24	17	3	4	74	39	36
Alloa	24	16	5	3	69	33	35
Airdrieonians	23	12	6	5	54	44	29
Dunfermline	22	10	8	4	52	48	24
Dumbarton	22	7	6	9	47	47	23
St. Bernards	22	9	9	4	55	54	22
Morton	22	8	8	8	42	42	22
Brechin City	23	7	9	7	57	68	21
Stenhousemuir	22	8	10	4	37	44	20
Dundee United	22	7	11	4	56	49	18
Forfar Athletic	22	8	12	2	48	82	18
King's Park	21	8	12	1	57	49	17
East Stirling	22	6	12	4	85	88	16
Leith Athletic	22	6	14	2	37	52	14
Montrose	23	5	14	4	54	72	14
Edinburgh	21	1	17	3	30	86	5

IRISH LEAGUE

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Celtic	25	19	4	2	96	30	40
Derry City	25	15	7	3	81	43	33
Ballymena	25	14	8	3	81	53	33
Portadown	25	14	8	3	82	56	31
Linfield	25	13	10	2	57	40	28
Glenavon	25	12	9	4	87	55	28
Ards	25	11	8	6	83	65	28
Glentoran	25	13	11	1	63	89	27
Newry Town	25	8	9	8	39	45	24
Distillery	25	9	12	4	53	54	22
Larne	25	7	14	4	43	72	18
Bangor	25	5	13	7	35	72	17
Cliftonville	25	5	18	2	38	78	12
Coleraine	25	3	19	3	38	84	9

Local Sport Results At a Glance

RUGBY

Barnard Cup

J.B.A.A. 6, Oak Bay Wanderers 0.
Canadian Scottish 11, Garrison 0.

Heyland Cup

Oak Bay Wanderers 10, Victoria College 6.
Navy 9, Canadian Scottish 3.

FOOTBALL

Freddy Price Cup

Esquimalt 5, Garrison 4.

First Division

Victoria West 8, Saanich Thistles 0.

Intermediate League

Young Liberals 5, Camerons 0.
Navy 2, Cooperage 2.
Longshoremen 2, Caveys 2.

Merchants' League

Mount Tolmie 7, Young Conservatives 2.
Navy 4, Admirals 3.

BASKETBALL

New York Shamrocks 33, Victoria Dominoes 21.
Eight Aces 33, Ramblers 22.
Bombers 19, Midland Miners 14.
Y.M.C.A. 27, Beavers 19.
St. Louis College 33, Chinese United 20.
Maple Leafs 24, Star Dynamiters 13.
St. Louis College 32, Harris' Cyclists 14.

Baer Signs for Bout With Nova In Yankee Park

NEW YORK, Jan. 14 (AP).—Max Baer, former heavyweight champion, and Lou Nova, promising California contender for the title, today were signed by Mike Jacobs, of the Twentieth Century Sporting Club, for a fifteen-round bout at the Yankee Stadium, May 25. The winner likely will get a shot at Joe Louis' heavyweight crown in September.

Twenty Penalties Given as Toronto Turns Back Hawks

Leafs Win Rough Hockey Game From Chicago to Strengthen Hold on Fourth Position—Four Majors Handed Out—Americans and Canadiens Battle to One-All Deadlock

TORONTO, Jan. 14 (AP).—The Toronto Maple Leafs strengthened their fourth-place position in the National Hockey League here tonight, when they defeated the Chicago Black Hawks, 3-1, in a comedy of penalties. A crowd of 11,816 saw the contest.

In all twenty penalties were handed out by Referee Mickey Ion, who managed to keep a difficult game under control by using an iron hand at all times.

Feeling between the teams reached its peak in the second period when a free-for-all fight broke out. Gordon Drillon and Nick Metz, of the Leafs, and Earl Seibert and Johnny Gottselig, of the Hawks, all received majors.

Referee, Mickey Ion; linesman, Happy Day.

Summary

First Period—1, Toronto, Drillon (Kampman, Chamberlain), 3:02. Penalties: Gracie, Kampman, Desilets, Thompson (major), Parsons.

Second Period—2, Toronto, Chamberlain (Metz-Apps), 7:10; 3, Toronto, Kelly (Kampman), 12:00. Penalties: Kampman, Seibert, Welbe, MacKenzie, Drillon (2), (one major); Metz (major), Gottselig (major), Seibert (major).

Third Period—4, Chicago, Thoms (March, Levinsky), 6:15. Penalties: McDonald, Davidson, Levinsky, Gottselig, Hamilton, Besler.

PLAY TO TIE

MONTREAL, Jan. 14 (CP).—The New York Americans and Montreal Canadiens played a 1-1 tie tonight in the first game of a home-and-home National Hockey League series as Referee Norm Lamport's refusal to allow a penalty shot cost the Habitants the decision.

With the score tied less than two minutes before the end, the Canadiens were awarded a penalty shot, when Roy Goldsworthy was sent off for pulling down Toe Blake. Babe Siebert fired the shot into the cage, but Lamport disallowed the score, ruling that he had stepped over the penalty line before firing.

The ruling drew a storm of protests from the crowd and play was halted for several minutes when the fans threw papers and other objects on the ice.

Referee, Lamport; linesman, S. Mantha.

Summary

First period—None. Penalties: Buswell, Goldsworthy.

Second period—None. Penalties: None.

Third period—1, Canadiens, Cain (Ward-Haynes), 7:36; 2, Americans, Sorrell (Jackson, Goldsworthy), 8:59. Penalty: Fields.

Overtime period—None. Penalty: Goldsworthy.

WANDERERS, NAVY TRIUMPH

Chalk Up Fine Victories in Intermediate Rugby Fixtures—Corcoran Stars

Coach Mickey Murray's Oak Bay Wanderers, first-half champions of the Intermediate Rugby League, opened their second-half chase for the Heyland Cup, with a 10-6 victory over Victoria College yesterday afternoon at the High School grounds.

Navy, only fifteen to defeat the Wanderers this season, kept pace with the Oak Bay ruggers when they defeated the Canadian Scottish, 9-3, at Admirals Road.

Flashy Joe Corcoran, Wanderers' backfield star, occupied the "hero" role for the Oak Bay squad, scoring all of their points. Corcoran ran twenty-five yards for the initial score and went over on an individual dribble for the other try. He completed the day's chores by adding the extra points with two excellent kicks.

Outplayed in the initial half, Victoria College came to life in the final canto and were decidedly the better fifteen. They scored two tries with McDonald and Lamb sharing the honors, but the attempted conversions failed, leaving the Wanderers winners by four points.

Playing at Admirals Road, Coach Hall's Navy ruggers turned back the Canadian Scottish, 9-3. The sailors crashed over the opposing line for three tries, while the "kilties" garnered their only points from a penalty try.

NO WASTE

Sandy was in love. He went to the florist's and hesitated between roses and carnations.

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ESQUIMALT RALLIES TO WIN CUP-TIE FOOTBALL

John Watt's Goals Late in Last Half Beat Garrison, 5-4

Veteran Centre Crashes Through for Pair of Markers in Late Minutes to Give Dockers the Freddy Price Trophy—Soldiers Make Great Bid to Retain Silverware

For the third time since it was put up for annual competition the Freddy Price Cup changed hands yesterday afternoon at the Athletic Park when the defending cupholders, the Garrison, clashed with Esquimalt in a first division soccer match. But it was the Dockers who provided the "garrison" finish to lift the silverware from the Work Point locker-room by a 5-4 score. The tussle was played in a heavy downpour and on a field covered with miniature lakes from post to post and heavy mud. It was a good match, both teams setting a fast pace all the way in the heavy going.

Following the tussle, Magistrate Henry C. Hall, president of the Victoria and District Football League, introduced by Alec Robertson, of the British Columbia commission, presented the cup to the captain of the Esquimalt side. He congratulated both teams on their line showing under such trying conditions.

After Coldwell blocked Payne's close-in attempt, Esquimalt scored after five minutes of play when Joss McBay's free kick landed at "Scotty" Stewart's foot in the goal area and the inside forward made no mistake. Dockers nearly tallied again when Jim Stewart's header back to his brother "Scotty" for a drive at goal went wide.

The winners continued to press and John Watt fired a first-timer over the bar. At nineteen minutes the soldiers tied it up when Harold Bisehard's hooked shot found the net. While the ball was finding the net, Moody, Esquimalt back, was lying on the field, kayoed by a bullet drive from Wilkinson.

MISSES CHANCE

Three minutes later Bischard missed a great chance after Evans had crossed beautifully from the left wing. At the thirty-two-minute mark, Jimmy Worswick put the troops in front when he converted another great cross from Evans. After Goalie Coldwell had blocked Payne's drive, Evans nearly increased the Garrison lead with a rifle drive from well out which just grazed the bar. Three minutes from the rest interval, George Payne knotted it all up again when he took John Watt's header and his low shot hit the post and carried on into the back of the goal.

Tough luck hit the Esquimalt team ten minutes after the change-over when Doug Laird, fullback, put the ball into his own goal to give the Garrison the lead once more. Evans had crossed to the danger zone and the ball went off Hornsby's foot. Laird was right there and the leather bounced off his foot slowly across the line. The next goal came Esquimalt's way from a scrimmage in front of the net at the twenty-three-minute mark.

With the score deadlocked, Laird was injured and went off. He was replaced by A. Stewart. The game speeded up, despite the heavy rain and deep mud, with both clubs fighting desperately for the silverware. The Garrison were having their share of tough luck as they staged several determined raids on the Dockers' goal. With eleven minutes remaining a foul was called against the Garrison and John Watt gained possession and scored to break the tie. Right after Worswick got in the clear and hit the Esquimalt upright with a hard drive.

Three minutes from the end, John Watt, veteran centre, put the game away in the proverbial cooler when he snagged a loose ball and fired a lightning shot over Coldwell's head for one of the best goals of the match. The scoring hadn't ended, however, for Jim Watt, Garrison inside man, beat Hornsby with a well directed shot. The Garrison tried hard in the remaining seconds for the equalizer, but to no avail.

Robb refereed and teams follow.

Garrison—Coldwell, Cook, Wilkinson, Wallace, Thomson, Thorburn, Bischard, McAllister, Worswick, Watt and Evans.

Esquimalt — Hornsby, Moody, Laird, Holt, Halkett, McBay, Joe Watt, Stewart, Payne and A. Stewart.

WESTS WIN EASILY

Combining through the mud for a total of eight goals, Doc Poyntz' Wests blanked the Saanich Thistles at the Heywood Avenue pitch. Starting the game with only nine players, the lads from Saanich forfeited the fixture at the end of the first half with the score 3-0 against them, to allow Glen Robbins and Alec Speller to enter their line-up, and thus provide a little more opposition for the greenshirts.

Proving capable mudders, the Wests had it all their own way from the opening whistle, and kept Webster busy in the Saanich net. The goalie turned in a clever performance, however, and worked hard to prevent the score from mounting a great deal higher.

Cooper bagged three goals for the winners, Morgan and Sage hung up two each and Dallimore accounted for the other tally.

After tucking their three-goal lead in the bag at the end of the first half, the greenshirts turned on the heat and rammed home five markers in the final period. Morgan scored twice and Cooper once in the first period, while the remainder of the boys ran in their goals after the teams had changed ends.

A steady rain and a heavy and greasy ball accounted for only a fair brand of soccer. In spite of these difficulties, the Wests combination worked well and had the Saanich eleven all at sea.

Dave McMillan handled the whistle and teams follow:

Victoria West—T. Restall, Wright, R. Bell, Smith, C. Restall, R. Barnes, G. Barnes, Sage, Cooper, Morgan and Dallimore.

Saanich Thistles — Webster, Biscenden, Crowe, Underwood, Mowat, Robbins, Speller, McDonald, Hope, Robson and Ono.



Matches scheduled this week in the Inter-Service Billiard League follow:

"A" Division—Army and Navy vs. Pro Patria.

"B" Division—Pro Patria vs. Army and Navy.

"C" Division—Pro Patria vs. Britannia; Army and Navy vs. Naval Veterans.

Last week's results follow:

"B" DIVISION

Army and Navy		Britannia	
H. Rochon	180	D. Croston	200
C. Butler	185	N. Whitehead	200
T. Lister	200	G. Province	171
Total	565	Total	571

High Break—Whitehead, 32

"C" DISION

Naval Veterans		Army and Navy	
F. L. Elliott	93	J. Anderson	150
K. I. Elliott	150	W. Hurst	87
A. White	141	H. Hume	150
Total	384	Total	387

High Break—K. I. Elliott, 32

Britannia		Pro Patria	
O. V. Jarvis	150	R. V. Lea	121
T. Neville	150	J. McLean	104
H. C. Henson	135	A. Dobbie	150
Total	435	Total	375

RECREATION CENTRES

The remaining Victoria Centres opening this week are Women, Mount View High School, Monday; Men, Keep Fit (Crystal Garden), Monday; Mount View High School, Thursday; Rex Theatre (Esquimalt), Thursday.

During the following week the swimming class at the Crystal Pool will again be operating, commencing Tuesday, January 24 at 10 a.m. The men's swimming class will be held on the same morning.

The Victoria High School women's centre opened last Monday evening, when the usual large turnout, 149 members being on the floor. A new activity being introduced into the women's centres this week is the ball drill, which has been much enjoyed by all the members taking part.

A small contingent of Victoria leaders journeyed out to Sooke last Wednesday evening and gave a short demonstration there under Instructors Alf Batcheler and Miss Nona Butts. The women leaders demonstrated a gymnastic table, a polka dance and mat tumbling, the men contributing their gymnastic table and vaulting over the box. Those taking part were Misses Doris Preston, Jean Drummond, Jerry Robbins, Helen Cook, Theresa Lee-Warner, Doreen Dale-Johnson and Alan White, Arnold Dawkins and Stan Orchard.

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TOURING TEAM TO PLAY HERE

Olympic Co-Eds Basketball Quintette to Appear on Wednesday, Thursday

Rated one of basketball's greatest attractions, Olympic Co-Eds, featuring the personal appearance of Helen Stephens, world's fastest woman runner and holder of the record for the 100 metres established at the Berlin Olympic Games in 1936, will be seen in action Wednesday and Thursday evening at the High School gymnasium.

Victoria and District Basketball League officials, who are responsible for the visit here of the cagette squad, announced last night that All-Star teams selected from the Northwestern Creamery, Senators and Palm Dairies will oppose the visitors. Three games will be played each evening, with two local preliminaries rounding out the card. The first fixture will start at 7 o'clock.

The Olympic Co-Eds are again coached by "Issy" Payne, recognized throughout the United States as the greatest woman cage player. "Issy" has selected the Co-Eds from the leading girls' clubs in the United States, and their line-up will include such outstanding girl stars as Mickey Onson, of Wisconsin; Vic Kuhle, of Chicago; Bobby White, of Iowa, along with Miss Stephens and "Issy" Payne.

Olympic Co-Eds, playing under the name "All-American Rockets," in their first season, 1937-38, played 120 games and were never defeated by a girls' club, and won many games from first-class men's squads. This season the Co-Eds are playing only men's teams, under straight men's rules and ask no favors.

DOMINOES TO PLAY ESQUIMALT CAGERS

Victoria Dominoes will make their Esquimalt debut tomorrow evening when they appear in an exhibition basketball game at the Esquimalt Athletic Association Hall, Fraser Street. The undefeated leaders of the Victoria and District Basketball League will oppose the Esquimalt All-Stars, with the proceeds from the exhibition going to charity.

Esquimalt and Alcos, intermediate boys' quintettes, will meet in the curtain raiser at 7:45 o'clock and the feature attraction will get under way one hour later.

CARPET BOWLING

Results of matches played in the Victoria Carpet Bowling League last week follow:

"A" SECTION

Britannia Stars 24, C.G. Spades 10.
A.O.F. Rangers 18, Eagles "C" 13.
S.O.E. Hood 22, Britannia U. 22.
Britannia Tip Tops 20, C. G. Burnside 18.

"B" SECTION

S.O.E. Renown 15, C. G. Badgers 15.
Britannia Royals 19, Britannia Diamond "S" 18.
Hudson's Bay "A" 17, S.O.E. Lions 18.
Britannia Horseshoes 15, C. G. Ramblers 16.

"C" SECTION

Eagles "A" 21, A.O.F. Cougars 15.
Britannia Rustlers 23, S.O.E. Victory 14.
C. G. Owls 16, S.O.E. Repulse 20.
Britannia Wolves 19, C.G. Pirates 12.

IRISH FOOTBALL

BELFAST, Jan. 14 (CP)—Results of Irish Football League matches played today resulted as follows:

Derry City 2, Belfast Celtic 2.
Ballymena United 2, Bangor 3.
Cliftonville 0, Portadown 2.
Glenavon 6, Linfield 3.
Ards 2, Glentoran 1.
Distillery 5, Coleraine 2.
Newry Town 3, Larne 1.

WINNERS AT UPLANDS

A trio of shotmakers finished in a deadlock for top place in "A" division in the medal competition played at the Uplands Golf Club. They were Mrs. J. McIlraith, 91-9—82; Mrs. S. D. Horsford, 93-11—82; Mrs. I. South, 98-16—82. In "B" class, Mrs. F. Spencer was the best with 111-36—75.

VICTORIA DEFEATED

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 14 (AP)—Seattle table tennis players won tonight's final round matches of an inter-city series to win a trophy donated by the United States Table Tennis Association.

Seattle defeated Portland, 8 to 5, and then repeated with a 9 to 4 win over Victoria, B.C.

JOCKEY IS KILLED

COVINA, Calif., Jan. 14 (AP)—Willie Ray, nineteen, jockey, who has been racing at Santa Anita, was fatally injured today when his car overturned on a curve near Azusa. He died in Covina Hospital an hour after the crash.

Deputy sheriffs said the youth apparently went to sleep at the wheel.

NEW OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED

Knights and Dames of the Thistle Hold Traditional New Year Ceremony

With traditional ceremony, the officers of the Knights and Dames of the Thistle for the ensuing term were installed by Dame E. Reston, assisted by Knight W. Angus, in the Knights of Pythias Hall on Friday night.

The officers installed were: Past knight of the G.C., Robert Watt; knight of the G.C., A. H. Cameron; dame of the chair, Dame M. W. Davey; dame of Scripture, Dame R. Gray; dame of finance, Dame A. Woods; dame of the treasury, Dame E. Moffat; dame of ceremonies, Dame E. Reston; dame of arms (senior), Dame M. Cameron; dame of arms (junior), Dame D. Randall; knight of the interior, J. Cragdallie; knight of the exterior, J. Woods; knight of publicity, E. M. Whyte; piper, Frank Knight.

Brief speeches were made by all the newly-elected officers, and final arrangements were made for the holding of the annual Burns anniversary dinner on January 27.

The auditing committee was also elected, as follows: W. Angus, R. Watt and Dame R. Watt, J. Woods, N. Russell, and Dames A. Woods, G. Reid, N. Russell and W. Dow were named as the social committee, and Dame Davey and A. H. Cameron were chosen as the sick committee.

PLAN TO LICENSE AMUSEMENT UNITS

New Type Machines to Pay $30 Every Six Months—By-Law To Set Fee

Instructions will be given the city solicitor at a City Council meeting tomorrow night to draw up an amending by-law to set a licence fee of $30 every six months for automatic amusement machines not deemed contrary to the Criminal Code.

Discussion will be held on a Supreme Court decision that Oak Bay is entitled to be supplied with water by the city at prices fixed by the provincial comptroller of water rights.

A letter from the B.C. Electric Railway Company, Ltd., suggesting an immediate decision on the term of years for which street cars are to continue in operation will be referred to the franchise committee.

ROYAL VISIT PLANS

A note from the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation seeking information on events planned to commemorate the Royal visit will be dealt with. A representative of the corporation will arrive from Ottawa in March to confer with the council.

Offers from the Local Council of Women and the District Council of the Canadian Legion to co-operate with the council in celebration events will be considered.

Instructions will be given the city purchasing agent to call tenders for hose, lawn mowers, grass catchers and other park equipment.

The council will consider a suggestion of the city solicitor that a petition for cancellation of part of the plan of the Macdonald Park area be presented to the registrar of titles. He pointed out part of the land enclosed by the park consists of portions of Dock and Ocean Streets.

SPEAKERS GROUP GREETS VISITORS

An interesting and very enjoyable evening was spent at Royal Oak in the Institute Hall, Wednesday, January 11, when members of the Royal Oak Speakers' Group were hosts to a group from the Y.M.C.A. and members and friends of the Royal Oak Women's Institute.

Miss B. Alward, president of the Y.M.C.A. group, was in the chair. She was introduced by Mrs. Doyle, of Royal Oak.

A programme by the visitors illustrated outstanding ability, and was highlighted with speeches by Frank Paulding, Miss O. Walsh, and several others. Miss Catherine Craig rendered several vocal and piano selections.

At the close of the programme the visitors received the thanks of the Royal Oak Group, and were then served refreshments.

OAK BAY LIBERALS

A meeting of Wards Six and Seven Liberal Association will be held in Liberal headquarters tomorrow at 8 p.m. All Liberals of Oak Bay, whether members or not, are invited to participate in discussion on vital Oak Bay matters.

SHIPPING MAN PASSES

VANCOUVER, Dec. 14 (CP)—Thomas Melton, fifty-two, who for thirty-three years was associated with Union Steamships, died here suddenly Friday. A native of Scarborough, England, Mr. Melton came to Vancouver when he was twenty, and joined Union Steamships soon after. He later became secretary-treasurer of the company, a position he held for twenty-two years.

Bays and Scottish Register Shutouts In Rugby Fixtures

Oarsmen Blank J.B.A.A., 6-0, and "Kilties" Turn Back Work Point Ruggers, 11-0—Bill Halkett Scores Beautiful Try for J.B.A.A.

HOW THEY STAND

Barnard Cup Series

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
J. B. A. A.	5	1	0	10
Wanderers	3	1	1	7
Navy	2	2	1	5
Garrison	1	4	0	2
Canadian Scottish	1	4	0	2

Yesterday's Scores

J.B.A.A. 6, Wanderers 0.
Canadian Scottish 11, Garrison 0.

A beautiful try by Bill Halkett, speedy little backfield star, and a penalty goal by "Buzz" Brown, yesterday gave Manager Bob McInnes' J.B.A.A. ruggers a 6-0 victory over Oak Bay Wanderers in a Barnard Cup match played at Macdonald Park. The triumph was the fifth straight for the oarsmen, following their setback in the season's opener at the hands of the Oak Bay fifteen. Bolstered by Smith, Rutherford and Paul, three Navy players, Canadian Scottish made their first impression in the winning column when they blanked the Garrison, 11-0, on the lower pitch at the James Bay enclosure. Addition of the sailor ruggers greatly strengthened the "kilties" and brought the Canadian Scottish to a point where they will have to be reckoned with in future cup battles.



BILL HALKETT

Yesterday's results enabled the Bays to widen their lead over the Wanderers to three full points, and left the Garrison and the Scottish as joint occupants of the cellar berth.

Played on rain-soaked, muddy fields and with a greasy ball, the matches were featured by forward dribbling movements, while at intervals short handling bouts were attempted. A mere handful of the faithful sat through a continuous downpour and gave their moral support to the mud-covered and drenched ruggers.

The Bays-Wanderers' match was keenly fought all of the way, with the oarsmen's better condition being the deciding factor. Each fifteen passed up excellent scoring chances before Bill Halkett crashed over for the only try of the match, twenty-five minutes after the kick-off.

With play deep in Wanderers' territory following a sustained attack, Lannigan made an attempt to break away and was stopped by George Langdon, Bays' halfback. Colin Lucas gained possession of the loose ball and passed to Halkett. Without a moment's hesitation the Bay backfield star dashed for the line, passing to Smith, and then taking the ball again and crashing over. Ferguson missed the attempted conversion.

Halkett sustained a cut forehead in the play and retired temporarily for first aid by members of the St. John Ambulance Society. His cut attended to, Halkett returned to the field and was in the thick of the battle all afternoon.

Oak Bay Wanderers came close to scoring a few minutes later, the play being halted because of a forward pass. Harry Barber, elusive five-eighths, made a brilliant run after receiving the leather from a tight scrum and with only Ferguson in front of him passed to Joe Roberts, inside three-quarter. Roberts had a clear field for the few remaining yards, but the play was called back, and a golden scoring opportunity wasted.

Bays wound up the afternoon's scoring just before the breather when they were awarded a penalty for high tackling on the part of the Wanderers. "Buzz" Brown's kick was good and the halftime arrived with the oarsmen leading 6-0.

The second half was little short of a mud battle, with the two fifteens battling like Trojans every inch of the way. Bays' superior condition gave them an edge in the play, but they were unable to penetrate the Wanderers' defence for points.

K. C. Symons refereed.

Teams follow:

J.B.A.A.—Ferguson, Billsborough, Smith, Lucas, Halkett, Brown, Langdon, Simpson, C. Doheny, Dalzell, Leighton, Andrews, Petticrew, Bray and Mair.

Oak Bay Wanderers — Grogan, Carney, B. Murdoch, Roberts, G. Murdoch, Barber, Anderson, Forbes, Stevens, Colthurst, Guelph, Buckler, Gornall, Ley and Lannigan.

SCOTTISH WIN

Making more of their scoring chances and having an edge in the play, Canadian Scottish ruggers registered their initial triumph in the Barnard Cup series by blanking the Garrison, 11-0, in the lower pitch at the James Bay enclosure. Scottish set up an 8-0 lead at halftime and added three points in the final canto.

Rutherford, Navy player, now a member of the Scottish fifteen, opened the scoring when he put the finishing touches on a forward dribble and carried the leather over for three well-earned points. Army forwards, much heavier than their opponents, carried play well into the Scottish half of the field, but found the defence sound.

Taking the upper hand again Canadian Scottish made it 6-0 when Sars "Martin" culminated a fine backfield run by going over near the posts. All of the three-quarters handled the ball in what was easily the best play of the afternoon. Williams added the points with a fine kick, making the score 8-0 at the rest interval.

As the final canto opened, the Garrison kept the Scottish bottled into their own half for fifteen minutes and only stubborn defensive tactics kept the Work Point ruggers from scoring.

Fighting back, the Scottish finally forced the "crimson sweatered" soldiers back over the halfway mark and back into their own territory. Play hovered around midfield for about ten minutes, with neither team having any advantage.

Late in the match Canadian Scottish made it 11-0 when Doug Willard, smart wing three-quarter, crashed over for a well-earned try. The score came following a short handling bout with Bill Smith opening up the play after taking a pass from Halfback Coomber. The kick failed.

Pangman refereed.

Teams follow:

Canadian Scottish — Narod, De-Macedo, Moffatt, Rutherford, Williams, S. Martin, B. Martin, Hughes, Coomber, Willard, Knight, Smith, Paul, Holyoak and Warwick.

Garrison—Lane, Hipwood, York, Kellington, Ellington, F. Ford, G. Ford, Cornfield, Hatch, Pocock, Green, McGee, Loveless, Cockrill and Woods.

FRANCE PARADING FLEETS IN FORCE

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The report was based on an interview between Foreign Secretary Viscount Halifax and the Ambassador, Andre Francois-Poncet.

Mussolini, it said, did not raise claims for French territory already advanced unofficially by Fascists, and when Mr. Chamberlain reminded him of the close link between France and Great Britain Il Duce did not ask the British to mediate the French-Italian quarrel.

The Government prepared to make a big demonstration over the launching of the Richelieu, France's first 35,000-ton battleship, at Brest next Tuesday.

PESSIMISM IN FRANCE

Pessimism prevails in French official circles over the outcome of the Rome talks, and therefore, over the possibility of clearing up the Mediterranean situation, clouded by Fascist territorial aspirations at French expense.

Concern also was felt over the swift drive of the Spanish insurgents toward Barcelona, carrying Italian influence closer to France's southern frontier, and over unconfirmed reports of new Italian troop concentrations in East Africa. One of the targets of Fascist territorial clamor has been Djibouti, France's strategic seaport on the Gulf of Aden.

ITALIANS DEPORTED

TUNIS, Tunisia, Jan. 14 (AP)—A large number of Italians whose identification papers were found to be irregular were expelled today by authorities of this French North African protectorate.

The Italians were placed aboard ships bound for Italy and sent across the frontier into neighboring Italian Libya.

Refugees crossing from Libya into Tunisia reported Italian authorities had decreed fines of 500 lire ($26.30) for all Libyan Arabs discovered listening to French radio broadcasts from Tunisia. They said second offenders were liable to a month's imprisonment.

SAANICH LIBERALS

The Saanich Liberal Association will hold a general meeting tomorrow at 8 p.m., at the headquarters of Ward Two, Grist's Hall, Douglas Street, for the purpose of considering amendments to the constitution. After the business session, Hon. N. W. Whittaker, K.C., M.P.P., will address the meeting.

PARISHIONERS MEETING

METCHOSIN, Jan. 14—A meeting of the parishioners of St. Mary's Church, Metchosin, will be held on Wednesday, at 8 o'clock, in the church for the purpose of receiving and passing accounts and electing church wardens, a committee and other officers.

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Treat your body kindly this day; do not overtax its strength. Physical disability, through the reckless disregard of nature's law of self-preservation and lack of ordinary precaution against accidents, seems to be the danger confronting the average person this day. Should your family or friends express a consensus on any subject that you need advice on, be very careful how you run counter to it, or turn a deaf ear to what they have to say. Most of us will have an urge to do just the contrary to whatever is expected of us, so be ready to suppress any such inclination. Be sociable, for from personal contacts a great deal of pleasure is apt to be derived. Married and engaged couples, as well as those whose matrimonial hopes seem likely to be soon advanced through the formality of an engagement ring, will make the day safe from discord if they: "Be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath."

If a woman and January 15 is your birthday, you may confine your thinking to too many serious subjects. Divert your mind by indulging in social activities, if you wish your efficiency to be increased. You seem destined to win many honors in either a social, business or professional way, if you have sufficient courage and perseverance. The important thing for you to do throughout your life is to keep your head erect, but not your nose up in the air. Through journalism, authorship, teaching, brokeraging, painting or a highly specialized line in commercial work, your dreams of money, influence and position, are likely to come true. As you appear to be endowed with the power to love intensely, the chance is you will love deeply the man you marry and be greatly loved by him.

The child born on January 15 may have to overcome a tendency to be bashful in front of strangers. If properly encouraged, this youngster can develop self-possession, so parents must do whatever they can to help it. High-spirited, children born on this date frequently appear to be unduly sensitive, so great care ought to be used in handling them.

If a man and January 15 is your natal day, if you will remember what Cervantes said: "It is the part of a wise man to keep himself today for tomorrow, and not to venture all his eggs in one basket," success should follow your adherence to this admonition. As a scientist, lawyer, chemist, botanist, composer, soldier, salesman, manufacturer, promoter, author or financier your chances of making a success appear to be unlimited.

MONDAY, JANUARY 16

"CAPRICORN"

If January 16 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; from 2 to 4 p.m. and from 8 to 10 p.m. The danger periods are from 9 to 11 a.m., from 6 to 8 p.m., and from 10 p.m. until midnight.

Stubbornness may be the underlying cause of most of the financial losses sustained this day. Through arbitrary actions, prompted by a domineering spirit, many people will needlessly involve themselves in trouble and bring discordant conditions into their homes and business lives. It might be advisable to remember that the terms of a verbal agreement can be forgotten, whereas a written one cannot be logically disputed. In all of your activities it will be well to take precautions to make assurance doubly sure. Irregularities and actions in social circles are apt to be responsible for many embarrassing situations, so anyone participating in any form of entertainment must guard against committing some kind of indiscretion. Individual peculiarities will be quite noticeable this day, if no efforts are made to control them. Married and engaged couples, as well as those considering the advantages married life has to offer over "single blessedness," may find this a decidedly unlucky day for breaking any promises.

If a woman and January 16 is your birthday, be careful that too much dignity does not interfere with your having a good time. If fate seems to war against you, count on lady luck's coming to your rescue. You are, most likely, an earnest worker, and should get excellent results. You may frequently conceal your feelings, when it might be better if you displayed them to show that your sentiments regarding words or actions do not meet your approval. Your cleverness might be best displayed as a professional entertainer, saleslady, purchasing agent, newspaper woman, teacher or a consultant in some highly specialized line of work. You are not likely to make any mistake in your selection of a husband.

The child born on January 16 should have a pet to help it develop a sense of responsibility and a fondness for animals. Congenial companionship is most important for this youngster's happiness. Possessing, usually, a keen sense of humor, a good disposition, and plenty of originality, the future of the child born on this date is promising as a rule.

If a man and January 16 is your natal day, your good qualities ought to be many, and your bad ones very few. A quick temper may be your worst. Unselfishness must be one of your cardinal virtues for your happiness to be replete. Mining, engineering, architecture, theatrical work, writing, lecturing or selling are among the lines of activity in which you might excel.

N. SOUTH WALES SCORES 246 RUNS

SYDNEY, Australia, Jan. 14 (CP)—Playing in a temperature of 114 degrees, a record for Sydney, New South Wales scored 246 runs in a Sheffield Shield cricket match against South Australia today. The visitors had made 114 for two wickets in reply when play closed for the day.

Don Bradman assumed an unusual role. The international and South Australia captain kept wicket in place of C. W. Walker, who is suffering from an injured finger.

DROUILLARD KAYOED

WORCESTER, Mass., Jan. 14 (AP), Pat ("Pinky") Foley, Worcester lightweight boxer, tonight pounded his way to a technical knockout victory over Orville Drouillard, of Windsor, Ont. The end came in the fifth round, with Drouillard so helpless Referee Billy George stopped the bout.

FORMER CHAMPION ILL

LONG BEACH, Cal., Jan. 14 (AP)—Mrs. Ida J. Grost, for twenty years world champion woman trapshooter, is seriously ill at the Harriman-Jones Clinical Hospital. She captured first honors in women's shooting in Los Angeles in 1932. She is the wife of Clarence E. Grost.

VINES EVENS SERIES

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 14 (AP)—Ellsworth Vines, world's professional tennis champion evened his series at four-all with Don Budge, former Davis Cup star by taking a three-set match before 6,000 persons tonight, 2-6, 6-2, 6-4.

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Stock and Bond Prices Rally at New York Mart

NEW YORK, Jan. 14 (AP).—The stock market finished the week with a rallying swing today that lifted leaders fractions to around two points and a few several notches more.

Virtually all departments participated in the come-back which, although relatively quiet, was highly encouraging to brokerage quarters which had witnessed an almost uninterrupted decline since the turn of the year.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks had its best day since December 29, pushing up 9 of a point to 51.3. On the week, though, the composite suffered a net setback of 1.1 points, the largest weekly recession since mid-November.

The ticker tape moved at a slow jog during the greater part of the brief proceedings, but picked up a little momentum near these. Transfers totaled 469,630 shares against 632,910 last Saturday.

Brokers attributed the reversal in direction partly to technical factors connected with the lengthy retreat and the belief of some speculative forces that the market had been "oversold."

Wall Street spirits, in addition, seemed to have revised with the successful opposition in the House of Representatives to the President's W.P.A. spending programme. On top of this, lessening of war talk following the Anglo-Italian Conference brought in some buyers who had feared Europe was on the brink of another explosion.

American Telephone was idle until the concluding few minutes when it ran up 3 points to 153, a new 1938-39 peak. The company's preliminary earnings for last year indicated $8.14 a share compared with $9.62 in 1937.

Secondary and defaulted railroad loans led the bond market to higher levels with some of the carrier issues marked up a point or more.

Gains of fractions were recorded for high-grade industrial corporates. U.S. Treasury issues tended to advance slightly. The foreign list was narrow and mixed. New York City Traction issues improved by wide fractions.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials, 148.26, up 1.74.
Twenty rails, 31.95, up 1.01.
Fifteen utilities, 23.49, up 0.99.
Forty bonds, 90.43, up 0.11.

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	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	59 6	59	59 6
Allied Chemicals	183		183
Allis Chalmers	43 7	41	43 5
Allied Stores	10 1	9 7	10 1
Amer Can	98	97-1	96
Amer Celanese	22 5	21 4	22 4
Amer For Power	3 2	3 1	3 2
Amer L & Z	6 6		6 8
Amer Locomotive	27 2	27	27 2
Amer P & L	6 1	5-7	6 1
Amer. Radiator	16 5	16-1	16-5
Amer Rolling Mills	20 6	20 1	20 6
Amer Smelter	47 4		47 4
Amer T & T	153	150	153
Amer Tobacco	88 4		88 4
Amer Waterworks	13 4	13	13 4
Anaconda Copper	32 4	31 2	32 3
Atchison Railway	36 7	38	38 6
B & O Railway	7 3	7-1	7 3
Baldwin Locomotive	15 5	15 3	15 4
Bendix Aviation	26 4	25 6	26 4
Beth Steel	74 1	72 5	73 6
Boeing	31 2	30-5	31 1
Borden	17	16 5	17
Borg Warner	28 1	27 4	28 1
Briggs	28 2	27 4	28 2
Canada Dry	19 1	18 6	19 1
C P R	5 5	5 3	5
Caterpillar Trac.	46	[illegible]	46
Cerro de Pasco	48	46 7	48
C & O Railway	36 2	35 4	36 2
Chrysler	77 2	75-1	76 3
Columbia Gas	7 2	6 7	7 2
Commercial Credit	53	52 4	53
Commercial Solvent	11 1	10 7	11 1
Com & So	1 6	1-5	1 6
[illegible]	26	26	26
Con Edison	31 7	30 3	31 3
Cont Can	42 4	41 6	42 4
Cons Aircraft	21 8		21-8
[illegible] Oil	8	5 6	8 7
Cont Oil	29	28	29 7
Crown Zellerbach	13	13	13
Crucible Steel	44 6	4[illegible] 4	44 6
Curtiss Wright	6 5		6 5
Curtiss Wright A	[illegible] 7	[illegible] 4	[illegible] 4
Deere & Co	19 6	19 2	19 4
Douglas Aircraft	69 7	68 6	69 2
Dupont	149 6	148 8	149 6
Eastman Kodak	181 8	181 2	181 6
El Auto Lite	32	32 4	32 4
El Power & Lite	11	11 2	11
Fairbanks Morse	41 4	40 4	41 4
Freeport Texas	27 1	[illegible]	27
Gen Foods	38		38
Gen Electric	41 6	40 1	41 3
Gen Motors	47 4	46 3	47 2
Goodyear	34 4	34	34 3
Granby Copper	8 8	8 5	8 8
Great Northern	[illegible]	27	27 7
Great West Sugar	[illegible]		25
Houston Oil	7 4		7 4
Hudson Motor	7 5	7 4	7 4
Hupmobile Motors			
Inspiration Copper	[illegible]	14	17
Int Harvester	[illegible]	3	3 7
Int Nickel	53 2	52 3	53
Ind Rayon	28 4	27 4	28 2
Int Tel	8 5		8 5
Ill Central	18 4		18 4
Johns Manville	100 1	100	[illegible]
Kennecott Copper	39 6	38 6	39 6
Kresge	24		24
L & M Tobacco	102		102
Ludlum Steel	[illegible]	24	24
Loew's	[illegible]	47 4	[illegible]
Lorillard	22		22
Mack Truck	36 7	36 2	36 7
Matheson Alkali	32 2	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mex Seaboard	21 2	21 1	21 2
Monsanto Chemical	102		101
Montgomery Ward	48 1	47 2	48 6
Nash Kelvinator	8 4	8 2	8 4
Nat Biscuit	[illegible]		[illegible]
Nat Dairy	12 7	12 5	13 7
Nat Distilleries	26 4		26 4
Nat Power & Lite	8 1	8	8
N Y Central	20 5	19 7	20 4
N American Co	23 5	23	23 4
N American Avia	17-5	17	17 5
Northern Pacific	13	12 5	12 7
Ohio Oil	9		9 4
Owens Ill. Glass	62 4	61 3	62 4
Packard	4 4		4 3
Para Pictures	12 5	11 7	12 5
Penn. Railway	21-7	21 4	21-7
People's Gas	38		38
Phillips Pete	40 4		40 4
Pullman	36 3	35 4	36-3
Pure Oil	10	9 7	10
Radio	7 4	7 2	7 4
Rem. Rand	15-3		15-3
Rep. Iron Steel	23-4	22-7	23-2
Reynolds Tob.	43-2	41-6	41 6
Safeway Stores	32-3	30-6	32-3
Schenley	24 7	24-8	24 6
Sears Roebuck	71 7	71 3	71-7
Sharon Steel	19		19
Shell Union	13-5		13 5
Socony Vacuum	13 1	13	13 1
Southern Pacific	19 1	16-6	19 1
Southern Railway	20 6	20	20-6
Sperry Corp.	43 7	43	43-7
Standard Brands	6-7		6-7
Standard Gas	3 4		3 4
Standard Oil Cal.	27-7	27-5	27 6
Standard Oil N.J.	50-3	50 1	50-3
Stewart Warner	11 4	11-3	11 4
Superior Oil	3		3
Studebaker	7-4		7 4
Texas Corp	45-5	45	45-5
Texas Gulf	31-6		31-6
Timken	49 8	49 4	49 8
Trans. Amer.	7	6-6	6 7
Twen Century Fox	23 4		23-4
Union Carbide	86	85-2	85 6
Union Oil Cal.	18-6		16-6
Union Pacific	95-3	94-6	95 3
United Aircraft	38 2	38	38-2
United Airlines	11-7		11 7
United Corp	3-1	3	3 1
United Fruit	87	65 4	67
United G. & I	11 5	11 3	11 5
U.S. Pipe & Foundry	42 4	42	42-4
U.S. Realty	5		5
U.S. Rubber	45 7	45	45 7
U.S. Rubber preferred	97-8	96 4	97 6
U.S. Smelting	59 4		59 4
U.S. Steel	65-4	63-2	65-3
Vanadium	28-2	27 4	28
Westinghouse Electric	111	110 5	111
Western Union	23	22-4	23
White Motor	12 1		12 1
Woolworth	49 6	49 3	49 6
Youngstown S. & T.	51 4	50	51-4
Zenith Radio	19 4	18 7	19-4

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 14 (AP).—Quotations in cents.

Canada—Montreal in New York, 99 12½; New York in Montreal, 100 67½.

Belgium—16.91.
Czecho-Slovakia—3 43.
Denmark—20.88.
Finland—2 08.
France—2 63⅞.
Germany—40 14; travel 22 80.
Greece—86½.
Hungary—19.85.
Italy—5.26¼.
Yugoslavia—2 34.
Netherlands—54 36.
Norway—23 50.
Poland—18 95.
Portugal—4 24⅝.
Rumania—75.
Sweden—24 08.
Switzerland—22 60.
Argentina—31.15.
Brazil—Free 5 90.
Mexico City—20 00.
Japan—27.38.
Hongkong—29 20.
Shanghai—16 45.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 14 (AP).—Quotations in dollars 4 87¾; sixty-day bills 4 86⅞.

(Rates in spot cables, unless otherwise indicated.)

MONTREAL STOCK PRICES ADVANCE

MONTREAL, Jan. 14 (CP).—Buyers, encouraged by upturns in Wall Street, chased Montreal Stock Market leaders for gains of as much as a point today.

Nickel was up a point at 53 3-4. Fractional strength was gained by Noranda, Hudson Bay Mining and Hollinger Gold. International Pete firmed narrowly.

National Steel Car climbed 1 3-4 to 58 1-4, while Dosco backed narrowly. Canadian Car preferred ran a point higher, while the common improved fractionally.

Up narrowly were Price Brothers, St. Lawrence Corporation, Brazilian, Montreal Power and Dominion Bridge.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Close
Bathurst Paper	8
Building Products	16
Canadian Steamships	2
Canadian Steamships Pfd	9
Canadian Car & Foundry	17
Canadian Car & Foundry Pfd	34
Canadian Celanese	13
Canadian Celanese Pfd	102½
Canadian Cottons Pfd	104
Canadian Industrial Alcohol A	2
Cockshutt Plow	7½
Consolidated Smelters	57
Distillers-Seagrams	19
Dominion Bridge	35
Dominion Glass	110
Dominion Glass Pfd	150
Dominion Coal & Steel B	11½
Dominion Tar & Chemical	6
Dryden Paper	[illegible]
Gatineau Power	12
General Steelwares	7
Canada Gypsum	8
Hollinger Consolidated	14½
Howard Smith Paper	13
Hudson Bay M & S	34
Intl Nickel	53
Intl Petroleum	26
Massey-Harris	8
Montreal Power	30
Montreal Tramways	50
National Breweries	41
National Steel Car	58½
Niagara Wire	22
Noranda	81
Ogilvies	28
Power Corpn	12
Price Bros	1[illegible]
National Steel Car Rites	7¾
St. Lawrence Corpn	4½
St. Lawrence Corpn A. Pfd	14
Steel of Canada	74
Tucketts Pfd	160
Winnipeg Electric	2
Curb	
Abitibi	2
Abitibi Pfd	18½
Asbestos	106
Bathurst B	3
Beauharnois	3
Canada Sugar	28½
Canadian Malting	34½
Commercial Alcohol Pfd	5
Consolidated Paper	6
Cub Aircraft	2½
Fleet Aircraft	9
Fraser Co	14
Intl Paint	[illegible]
Melchers Pfd	2½
Power Corp Pfd	102
Royalite Oil	42
Hiram Walker	48½
Banks	
Canadian Bank of Commerce	174
Bank of Montreal	220
Bank of Nova Scotia	304

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	188	188½
Brazilian T L & P	9¼	9¾
B A Oil	22	22¼
B C Power A	24	24½
Canada Malting	34	35
Canadian Pacific	5	[illegible]
Con Mining & Smelting	56	57
Dominion Bridge	34	35
Dominion Textile		60
Fanny Farmer	20	21
Ford A	22	22
Goodyear Tire com	74	75
Goodyear Tire pfd	55	57
Gatineau Power pfd	88	89
Hiram Walker G & W	48	49
Hiram Walker G & W pfd	19	20
Imperial Oil	16	16¼
Imperial Tobacco	15	16
Intl Nickel	53¼	53
Intl Petroleum	26	26
Loblaw Groc A	24	24
McColl Frontenac pfd		92
Montreal Power com	30	30
Ogilvie Flour	28	29
Royalite Oil	41	42
Shawinigan W & P	21	21
Steel of Canada	74	75
Bralorne	11¼	11½
Dome	31	32
Hollinger Cons	14	15
Lake Shore	48	49
McIntyre Porcupine	53	[illegible]
Noranda	80	81
Wright Hargreaves	8	8.50
Pickle Crow	5.20	5.25
Premier	2.25	2.35
Bank of Montreal	220	225
Royal Bank	187	188

WINNIPEG WHEAT DROPS SLIGHTLY

WINNIPEG, Jan. 14 (CP).—Lack of interest and general indifference in outside markets caused Winnipeg wheat futures to ease slightly in today's short session.

Closing prices were 1-4 to 3-8 cent lower, May at 62, July 62 5-8 and October 62 7-8. Export business in Canadian wheat was restricted to one or two loads worked out of Vancouver.

Liverpool quotations finished 3-8d lower, influenced by scattered selling and a drop in demand for wheat. Buenos Aires was unchanged to 1-8 cent lower at the close.

Country markets reached 272,000 bushels yesterday, compared with 228,000 for the corresponding day a year ago.

Interest in cash grain was confined to mill and terminal adjustments, while in coarse grains a little support was uncovered in oats.

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	62⅛	62¼	62⅛	62	62
July	63	62⅞	62⅞	62⅝	b62⅝
Oct	63	62½	63	62⅞	b62⅞
Oats					
May	29	29	29	29	29
July	29⅜				a29
Oct	29				b29
Rye					
May	43	43	43	42	42
July	43				a43
Barley					
May	38	38	38	38	38
July	37	37	37	37	37

Cash Grain

Wheat—1 Hard, 59¼; 1 Northern, 59¼; 2 Northern, 56¼; 3 Northern, 51¼; 4 Northern, 46¼; No. 5, 39; No. 6, 36; Feed, 35¼; Track, 59¼. Amber Durum No. 1, 48¼; No. 2, 4[illegible]; No. 3, 4[illegible]; No. 4, 42¼; Track, 48¼. Garnet No. 1, 52¼; No. 2, 49; No. 3, 43.

Oats—2 C.W. 29¼; 3 C.W. 26¼; Extra 1 Feed, 26¼; 2 Feed, 24¼; 3 Feed, 22¼; Track, 26¼.

Barley—2 P.O.W. 39; 3 R.O.W. 39; 3 C.W. 36; 4 C.W. 35; 5 C.W. 34; 6 C.W. 33; Track, 37.

Flax—1 N.W.C. 143¼; 2 C.W. 139; 3 C.W. 127¼; 4 C.W. 122; Track, 14[illegible].

Rye—1 C.W. 41; 2 C.W. 41; 3 C.W. 37¼; Rejected 2 34¼; 4 C.W. 33¼; Track, 41.

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	66⅝	66	66⅞	66⅝	66
July	68	68	68⅜	68	66
Sept	69	69	69	69	69¼
Corn					
May	52	52	52	52	52
July	53	53	53	53	53
Sept	54	54	54	53	53
Oats					
May	29	29	29	29	29
July	28		28	28	28
Sept	27	27	27	27	27
Rye					
May		46	46	44	46
July		4[illegible]	47	4[illegible]	4[illegible]
Sept		43	43	43	47

New York Curb

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amer Cyanamid B	2[illegible]	2[illegible]
Amer Super-Power	0¾	0¾
Amer Gas & Electric	34	35
[illegible] Gas & Electric	0	0
Brazilian Traction	9	9
Cities Service, Com	[illegible]	[illegible]
Electric Bond & Share	11	11
Ford of Canada A	2[illegible]	22
Ford of England, Ltd	[illegible]	[illegible]
Humble Oil	87	8[illegible]
Intl Petroleum	26	26
Imperial Oil	16	16
Newmont Mining	77	79
Pioneer Gold	2	2
Standard Oil of Kentucky	17	17
Amer Aluminum	120	122
United Gas Company	2	3
United Power & Light A	7	7
Caribbean Syndicate	0	1
Niagara-Hudson Power	6	6
Distillers of England Ltd	21	21
[illegible]	38	39
Pantepec Oil	6	6
Canadian Marconi	1	1
Fisk Rubber	10	11
Creole Petroleum	22	22
Cord Corpn	3	4
Lake Shore Mines	48	49
Hecla Mining	8	8
Wright Hargreaves	8	9
Segal Lock	[illegible]	[illegible]
Premier Gold	2	2
Louisiana Land Exploration	6	6
Lockheed Aircraft	31	31
F. L. Jacobs Corpn	4	4
Catalin Corpn	3	4

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Jan. 14 (CP).—Canadian commodity exchange: Spot—Butter, Quebec (92 score), 23 1-4 to 23 1-2. Eggs, Ontario A-large, 24(a).

Butter futures: Jan. 23 1-4 to 23 5-8; February 23 1-4 to 23 3-4; March 23 1-4 to 23 5-8.

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TORONTO PRICES REBOUND SHARPLY

TORONTO, Jan. 14 (CP).—Stocks registered a smart rebound in the final session of the week on Toronto Exchange today. Turnover reached 639,000 shares. Naybob Gold moved up 10 and Augite 2 3-4.

Long Lac advanced 20 to 3.50, Preston 14 to 1.69, and Teck-Hughes 10 to 4.30.

East Malartic slipped back to 2.29 but recovered to 2.40, off only 5. Lamque lost 50.

Gains were narrow in the base metal group, but improvement was general except for a loss of 10 for Waite-Amulet.

Brazilian tightened up 1-2. The close was higher for Bell Telephone, Ford "A," Distillers-Seagrams, B.A. Oil and International Petroleum. Steel of Canada and National Steel Car gained 1 to 1 3-4.

Western Oils were stronger throughout the session. Home closed 7 up, Calgary & Edmonton had the same gain, and Okalta firmed 6.

MINING SECTION
(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	.08	.09
Ajax	.20	.24
Aldermac	.45	.50
Bagamac	.18	.20
Bankfield	.31	.32
Base Metals	.24	.27
Beattie	1.35	1.38
Big Missouri	.28	.30
Bobjo	.17	.18
Bralorne	11.00	11.50
Buffalo Ankerite	14.50	15.00
C. & E. Corpn.	2.32	2.35
Canadian Malartic	.95	1.00
Cariboo Gold Quartz	2.30	2.35
Central Patricia	2.55	2.60
Chemical Research	.47	.50
Dome	31.50	32.00
Eldorado	2.17	2.19
Falconbridge	5.25	5.40
God's Lake	.25	.30
Gunnar	.56	.60
Hard Rock	1.80	1.85
Hollinger	14.50	14.75
Home Oil	2.97	3.00
Howey	.29	.30
Hudson Bay M. & S.	34.25	
Intl. Nickel	53.50	54.00
Kirkland Lake	1.32	1.34
Lakeshore	49.00	49.50
Leitch Gold	.80	.82
Little Long Lac	3.50	3.55
Macassa	5.60	5.75
McIntyre	53.00	53.75
McKenzie Red Lake	1.26	1.27
McLeod Cockshutt	2.90	2.95
McWatters	.65	.70
Mining Corpn.	1.81	1.85
Moneta	1.40	1.42
Morris-Kirkland	.18	.19
Nipissing	1.70	1.79
Noranda	80.00	81.50
O'Brien	2.90	2.96
Pamour	4.50	4.55
Powell Rouyn	2.26	2.30
Paymaster	.55	.56
Pend Oreille	1.75	1.80
Perron Gold	1.66	1.69
Pickle Crow	5.15	5.25
Pioneer	2.61	2.70
Premier	2.30	2.33
Reno	.28	.30
Royalite Oil	41.50	42.00
San Antonio		1.30
Sherritt-Gordon	1.28	1.32
Siscoe	1.43	1.45
Sladen Malartic	.71	.75
Stadacona	.59	.60
Sudbury Basin	2.81	2.90
Sullivan	.92	.95
Sylvanite	3.40	3.45
Teck-Hughes	4.35	4.40
Thompson Cadillac	.25	.26
Toburn	2.15	2.20
Uchi Lake	1.45	1.48
Ventures	5.50	5.60
Waite Amulet	7.55	7.60
Wright-Hargreaves	8.40	8.50

INDUSTRIAL SECTION
(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
B A Oils	22¼	22⅜
B C Power A	23½	24
B C Power B	2½	
Bell Telephone	167½	166
Brazilian Traction	9	9¼
Brewers & Distillers	4	4½
Canada Cement	8¾	9¼
Canada Car & Foundry	16	17
Canada Maltings	34	34
Canada Dredge	21	23
Canadian General Electric	205	
Canadian Pacific	5¼	5⅜
Cockshutt Plow	7	8
Consolidated Smelters	56	57
Distillers-Seagrams	18⅝	
Dominion Bridge	34	34½
Dominion Stores	5	
Dominion Tar & Chemical	6	7
Gatineau, Com	12	13
Gatineau, Pfd	88	89
General Steelwares	7	7½
Gypsum	5	6
Hiram Walker	48	49
Imperial Oil	16	16¼
Intl Petroleum	26	26¼
Imperial Tobacco	15	15⅛
Intl Nickel	53½	54
Industrial Alcohol A	2	2¼
Industrial Alcohol B		2½
Lake of the Woods	15½	16
Laura Secord	12½	13
Montreal Power	30¾	30½
McColl-Frontenac	6¾	7
National Steel Car	58½	58¾
National Breweries	40½	43
Ogilvie Flour Mills	28	29
Page Hersey	102	104
Power Corpn.	11¼	12½
Shawinigan	21	21½
Steel of Canada	74	75
Steel of Canada Pfd	71	71½
Banks		
Canadian Bank of Commerce	174	176
Bank of Montreal	220	222
Bank of Nova Scotia	301	305
Royal Bank	188	189
Bank of Toronto	245	248

EGG MARKET

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Products Inspection Service, Victoria, E 8622.

Grade "A" large	19
Grade "A" medium	.17
Grade "A" pullet	.16
Following are city wholesale:	
Grade "A" large	23
Grade "A" medium	.21
Grade "A" pullet	.20

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	1940	4	104.75	105.75
	1941	[illegible]	108.75	109.75
	1943	5	112.75	113.75
	1944	4	111.875	112.875
	1945	4	108.125	109.125
	1946	4	112.25	113.25
	1949	3½	104.375	105.375
	1952	4	106.00	109.00
	1958	4	111.875	112.875
	1959	4	112.375	113.375
	1961	3	99.375	100.375
	1966	3¼	101.50	102.50
	Perp	3	92.50	93.50
	1949	3¼	103.50	104.50
	1951	3¼	102.375	103.[illegible]
	1958	3	98.625	99.625
	1967	3	98.75	99.825

DOMINION GUARANTEES

			Bid	Asked
Can. Nat. Rly.	1951	4	115.00	115.50
	1957	4	116.125	117.00
	1955	4½	118.00	118.50
July	1950	5	116.00	116.75
Oct.	1969	5	119.25	120.00
	1954	5	119.00	119.75
	1953	3	98.75	99.50
	1944	3	104.375	105.00
	1950	3	99.50	100.00
Grand Trunk	1962	3	99.[illegible]0	100.50
	1962	4	109.75	....
Can. Nor. Rly.	1958	3	102.00	....

Metal Markets

NEW YORK, Jan. 14 (AP).—Copper steady; electrolytic spot, 11.25; export, 10.22.

Tin, steady; spot and nearby, 46.60; forward, 46.80.

Lead, steady; spot, New York, 4.85 to 4.90; East St. Louis, 4.70.

Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward, 4.50.

AT MONTREAL

MONTREAL, Jan. 14 (CP).—Spot Copper, electrolytic, 11.65; tin, 49.35; lead, 4.50; zinc, 4.30; antimony, 15.00; per 100 lbs., f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

BAR GOLD AT LONDON

MONTREAL, Jan. 14 (CP).—Bar gold in London unchanged at $35.07 an ounce in Canadian funds: 148s 9 1-2d in British. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $35.29 in Canadian.

BAR SILVER

LONDON, Jan. 14 (AP).—Bar silver, 20 1-2d, up 1-4; equivalent 43.13 cents.

Oil Prices Firm and Golds Irregular at Vancouver Exchange

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14 (CP).—Oil prices were firm, golds irregular and base metals unchanged at the close of the short session on Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Transactions for the three-hour period totaled 81,155 shares.

Privateer headed a more active gold list, but declined 7 cents at 1.18. Kootenay Belle eased 5 at 1.48, and Cariboo Gold Quartz dropped 2 at 2.30. Reno gained 6 cents at 31, and Dentonia was fractionally higher at 6 3-8. Bralorne at 11.25, Island Mountain at 1.37 and Pioneer at 2.70 were unchanged.

In the oil section, Home gained 1 cent at 2.91, and sold as high as 3.00, while Calgary & Edmonton at 2.37 and Model at 44, each added 2. Royal Canadian was up 1 2 at 20 1-2 and Okalta remained unchanged at 1.30. United at 12 1-2 and West Turner at 6 3-4 were fractionally higher than Friday's closing bid, and other leading oils were unchanged.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE
(Boorman Investment Co., Ltd.)

Mines	Bid	Asked
Big Missouri	.27	.30
Bralorne	11.00	11.25
Bridge River Cons	.03¼	.03½
Bluebird	.01	
Cariboo Gold	2.2[illegible]	2.35
Dentonia	.06½	.07
Fairview Amalgamated	.03¼	
Federal Gold	.01¼	.02
George Copper		.33
Gold Belt	.57	.60
Gold Mountain	.01½	.02¼
Grandview	.05¼	.06
Grull Wihksne	.03	.03½
Hedley Mascot	1.41	1.42
Home Gold	.00¾	.01
Indian	.01½	
Island Mountain	1.37	1.40
Kootenay Belle	1.47	1.48
Lucky Jim	.02½	.02¾
McGillivray Creek	.23	
Minto	.02	.03
Nicola	.03½	.04
Noble Five	.03	.03½
Pacific Nickel	.20	.25
Pend Oreille	1.71	1.75
Pilot Gold	.00½	
Pioneer	2.65	2.70
Porter Idaho	.03	.03½
Premier	2.31	2.35
Premier Border	.01	.01¼
Quatsino Copper	.03½	.04
Quesnelle Quartz	.06	.07
Reeves Macdonald	.26	.30
Relief Arlington	.12½	.13
Reno	.29	.32
Reward		.05
Rufus Argenta	.01	.01½
Sally	.02	
Salmon Gold	.10	.11
Sheep Creek	.97	1.00
Silbak Premier	1.80	1.90
Silvercrest	.01¾	.02
Vidette	.08	.08½
Waverley	.00¾	.00⅞
Wellington	.01¼	
Whitewater	.04½	.04
Ymir Yankee Girl	.07	.08
Oils		
Anglo-Canadian	1.27	1.28
Associated	.08	
Amalgamated	.00¾	.01
Anaconda	.11	
A.P. Cons.	.30	
Baltac	.03	.04
British Dominion	.13	
C. & E. Corpn.	2.36	2.45
Calmont	.48	.52
Commoil	.50	
Commonwealth	.27	
Crow's Nest	.00¾	.01
Dalhousie	.50	
Davies Pete.	.45	.48
Eastcrest	.09¼	.10
Freehold	.05¼	.05½
Firestone Pete.	.10½	
Foothills	.95	
Hargal		.18
Highwood Sarcee	.26	.27
Home Oil	2.91	2.9[illegible]
Madison	.05½	.08
Mar Jon	.06	.07
Mercury	.06	
McDougall Segur	.17	.18
McLeod	.20	
Mill City		.07
Model	.42	.45
Monarch	.08	.10
Nordon	.08½	.12
Okalta	1.27	1.30
Okalta Pfd.		.40
Pacalta	.08	.09½
Prairie Royalties	.21	
Royal Canadian	.20	.21
Royalite	41.50	
Spooner	.09	
Southwest Pete	.52	.65
Spy Hill		.04
Sunset		.34
United Oil	.12½	.13
Vanalta	.08	
Vulcan		.65
Westflank	.05	
West Turner		.08
Industrials		
Brewers & Distillers	4.50	
Capital Estates	1.00	
Coast Breweries	1.17	1.20
United Distillers	.70	.75

FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, Jan 14 (CP).—British and foreign exchange closed higher today. Nominal rates for large amounts:

Australia, pound, 3.7662; China, Hongkong dollar, .2943; Denmark, krone, .2107; France, franc, .026618; Germany, reichsmark, .4050.

Great Britain, pound, 4.7171; Holland, florin, .5484; India, rupee, .3531; Japan, yen, .2751.

New Zealand, pound, 3.7965; Norway, krone, .2371; South Africa, pound, 4.6936; Sweden, krona, .2430.

Dollar Makers

By GEORGE T. EAGER

A TIP FOR PERSISTENT SALESMEN

A salesman for a research service recently secured an important contract after seven years of consistent, tactful but unrelenting effort to land the order.

The executive who finally gave him the order was discussing the matter with a friend. "This salesman," he said, "had a fine sense of the difference between persistence and annoyance. He came regularly but not too often. He always had something interesting to tell me but not too much. That is why I continued to see him.

"After a couple of years of calling without success he took a new tack. He kept up his good selling tactics but at the end of each interview he would remind me that this was his fourteenth call on me. Next year he kept right on reminding me how much he wanted our business by telling me just how long and how often he had tried to get our order.

"When he came in last week he told me that this was his fifty-eighth call in seven years. There was subtle flattery in that continual reminder and I admit I liked it. Added to my belief that I needed what he had to sell it got him the order."

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

		Bid	Asked
Australia 4½	1956	97.00	97.75
Bolivia 7	1968	4.25	4.75
Chile 6s	1961	17.75	18.75
Columbia 6	1961	21.50	22.00
French 7	1949	105.00	
German 4½	1965	20.00	22.25
Italy 7	1951	73.00	75.50
Japan 6½	1954	81.50	82.875
Norway 6	1944	99.00	100.00
Peru 6	1961	10.00	10.25
Sydney 5½	1955	100.00	102.25
United Kingdom 4½	1990	100.00	101.00

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		Bid	Asked
Alberta 4½	1954	76.50	78.50
Alberta [illegible]	1955	81.50	82.50
British Columbia 4	1957	92.75	93.75
British Columbia 4	1953	97.75	98.75
British Columbia 5½	1954	101.00	102.00
Manitoba 4	1960	80.00	82.00
Manitoba 5	1958	90.00	91.50
New Brunswick 4	1961	105.00	106.50
Nova Scotia 3½	1956	95.625	96.50
Ontario 3	1951	92.00	99.75
Quebec 3½	1951	96.75	97.50
Saskatchewan 4	1951	78.50	
Saskatchewan 5	1952	72.50	74.50
Saskatchewan 6s	1952	76.50	78.50

(Toronto Wholesale Prices)

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(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

		Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5	1953	62.00	64.00
B A Oil 4	1945	103.00	104.00
Brown Co 5½	1946	45.50	46.25
Calgary Power 5s	1960	102.75	103.75
Canada Cement 4½	1951	104.50	
Canada Steamship 6s	1957	82.50	83.[illegible]
C P R 3½	1945	87.00	88.00
C P R 3	1951	8[illegible].50	88.50
Dominion Tar 4	1951	104.00	[illegible]
Famous Players 4	1951	100.00	100.[illegible]
Gatineau Power 5	1940	102.2[illegible]	[illegible]
General Steelwares 4	1952	97.5[illegible]	98.2[illegible]
Massey-Harris 5	1947	101.[illegible]	102.[illegible]
McColl Frontenac 4	1949	100.2[illegible]	[illegible]
Shawinigan 4	[illegible]	93.00	[illegible]
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9 30 a.m.—Financial Flashes.
9 45 a.m.—Waltz Time.
10 00 a.m.—Morning Monitor.
10 15 a.m.—Rhythm on Record.
10 30 a.m.—Gilbert and Sullivan Gems.
11 00 a.m.—Hit Parade.
11 30 a.m.—Three Cornered Hat Dances.
11 45 a.m.—Ray Noble's Orchestra.
12 00 noon—Concert Time.
12 30 p.m.—Noonhour News.
12 45 p.m.—Nelson Eddy, songs.
1 00 p.m.—Midday Melange.
1 30 p.m.—World Bookman.
1 35 p.m.—Afternoon Musical.
2 00 p.m.—Concert Hour.
3 00 p.m.—Leo Reisman's Orchestra.
3 15 p.m.—Modern Vocals.
3 30 p.m.—Ozzie Nelson's Orchestra.
3 45 p.m.—Range Rhythms.
4 00 p.m.—Famous Overtures.
4 30 p.m.—Tea Time Melodies.
5 00 p.m.—Monitor Comment.
5 15 p.m.—Yesterday's Hits.
5 30 p.m.—Art Farey's Request Hour.
6 00 p.m.—Radio Birthday Party.
8 00 p.m.—Old-Time Rhythms, Haymakers.
8 30 p.m.—News Summary.

CJOR, Vancouver, B.C. (600 Kcys.)

6 00 a.m.—News.
8 15 a.m.—Music Graphs.
8 30 a.m.—Concert Miniature.
8 45 a.m.—Melody Time.
9 00 a.m.—Shut-In Programme.
9 15 a.m.—Smilin' Ed McConnell.
9 30 a.m.—Gospel Singers.
9 45 a.m.—The Goldbergs.
10 00 a.m.—Stocks.
10 05 a.m.—Popular Interlude.
10 15 a.m.—On the Mall.
10 30 a.m.—Good Morning, Neighbor.
11 00 a.m.—News.
11 15 a.m.—Ballad Music.
11 30 a.m.—Tropical Moods.
12 00 noon—Sid Mullett, pianist.
12 15 p.m.—Rosario Bourdon.
12 30 p.m.—News Flashes.
12 45 p.m.—Voice of Experience.
1 00 p.m.—Famous Voices.
1 15 p.m.—Ab Hine.
1 30 p.m.—Symphony Hour.
2 30 p.m.—Sue's Notebook.
3 00 p.m.—Kitty Keene.
3 15 p.m.—Ma Perkins.
3 30 p.m.—Pepper Young's Family.
3 45 p.m.—Vic and Sade.
4 00 p.m.—Concert Interlude.
4 15 p.m.—Easy Aces.
4 30 p.m.—Musical Workshop.
4 45 p.m.—Lombardo Time.
5 00 p.m.—Smilin' Billy Blinkhorn.
5 15 p.m.—On With the Dance.
5 30 p.m.—Pelican Club.
5 45 p.m.—Howie Wing, drama.
6 00 p.m.—Concert Hall.
6 30 p.m.—The Monitor.
6 45 p.m.—Late Sports Review.
7 00 p.m.—News.
7 15 p.m.—Classic Mosaic.
7 30 p.m.—Frank Skipper.
7 45 p.m.—Radio Rascals.
8 00 p.m.—News Flashes.
8 15 p.m.—Vox Pop.
8 30 p.m.—Hockey Broadcast.
10 30 p.m.—News.
10 45 p.m.—Rhythm Wranglers.
11 15 p.m.—Music in the Night.

CBC NETWORK

8 00 a.m.—Canadian Press News.
8 07 a.m.—The Melodic Interlude.
8 15 a.m.—The Musical Teeter-Totter.
8 30 a.m.—Morning Merry-Go-Round.
9 00 a.m.—Kelly's Washtub.
9 15 a.m.—Four Showmen.
9 30 a.m.—B.C. Schools Broadcast.
9 45 a.m.—The Toronto Trio.
10 00 a.m.—The Happy Gang.
10 30 a.m.—Road of Life.
10 45 a.m.—The Romance of Dan and Sylvia.
11 00 a.m.—Big Sister.
11 15 a.m.—London Calling.
12 00 noon—Midday Musicale.
12 30 p.m.—Stocks.
12 35 p.m.—Press News.
12 45 p.m.—Midday Musicale.
1 00 p.m.—Club Matinee.
2 00 p.m.—Music in the Modern Manner.
[illegible]
2 30 p.m.—Pianogreta.
2 45 p.m.—Closing Stocks.
3 00 p.m.—George Sk[illegible] talk.
3 15 p.m.—Patricia Gilmore, songs.
3 30 p.m.—Music From the Maritimes.
4 00 p.m.—Luigi Romanelli's Orchestra.
4 15 p.m.—Major Bill.
4 30 p.m.—Magical Voyages.
4 45 p.m.—My Job, interview.
5 00 p.m.—Chez Paree.
5 30 p.m.—Echoes of the Masters.
6 00 p.m.—Radio Theatre.
7 00 p.m.—Symphony Orchestra.
7 20 p.m.—The Government of Canada talk.
7 45 p.m.—Random Rhythm.
8 00 p.m.—The News.
8 15 p.m.—The Tudor Quartette.
8 30 p.m.—Mart Kenney's Orchestra.
9 00 p.m.—The Green Door.
9 30 p.m.—The Cariboo Miner.
9 45 p.m.—The News.
10 00 p.m.—Concert Trio.
10 30 p.m.—Organ Recital.

N.B.C. KPO RED NETWORK
(KHQ-KGW-KFI-KPO-KOMO)

8 00 a.m.—Morning Reveries (KOMO).
8 15 a.m.—Sunshine Club (KOMO).
8 30 a.m.—Capt. Dobbsie.
9 00 a.m.—Heart of Julia Blake (KOMO).
9 15 a.m.—The O'Neills.
9 30 a.m.—Time for Thought.
9 45 a.m.—Home Service Programme.
10 00 a.m.—John's Other Wife.
10 15 a.m.—Just Plain Bill.
10 30 a.m.—Dangerous Roads.
10 45 a.m.—Dr. Kate.
11 00 a.m.—Betty and Bob.
11 15 a.m.—A Grimm's Daughter.
11 30 a.m.—Valiant Lady.
11 45 a.m.—Hymns of All Churches.
12 00 noon—Mary Marlin.
12 15 p.m.—Ma Perkins.
12 30 p.m.—Pepper Young's Family.
12 45 p.m.—Guiding Light.
1 00 p.m.—Backstage Wife.
1 15 p.m.—Stella Dallas.
1 30 p.m.—Vic and Sade.
1 45 p.m.—Girl Alone.
2 00 p.m.—Houseboat Hannah.
2 15 p.m.—Carl Kalash.
2 30 p.m.—Cadets Quartette.
2 45 p.m.—Lilyan Cornell, songs.
3 00 p.m.—Studio Party.
3 15 p.m.—I Love a Mystery.
3 25 p.m.—Press News.
3 30 p.m.—Women's Magazine of the Air.
4 00 p.m.—Biltmore Orchestra.
4 15 p.m.—Paul Carson, organ.
4 30 p.m.—Sanisio (KOMO).
4 45 p.m.—Benjamin Franklin Orchestra.
5 00 p.m.—Carson Robinson and His Buckaroos.
5 30 p.m.—Those We Love.
6 00 p.m.—The Budd Show.
6 30 p.m.—Eddie Duchin's Orchestra.
7 00 p.m.—Contented Programme.
7 30 p.m.—Al Pearce and His Gang.
8 00 p.m.—Amos and Andy.
8 15 p.m.—Edwin C. Hill.
8 30 p.m.—Voice of Firestone.
9 00 p.m.—Hawthorne House.
9 30 p.m.—The Battle of the Sexes.
10 00 p.m.—News Flashes.
10 15 p.m.—Sports Graphic.
10 30 p.m.—Joseph Sudy's Orchestra.
11 00 p.m.—Ray Noble's Orchestra.
11 30 p.m.—Ray Harrington's Orchestra.

N.B.C.-KGO BLUE NETWORK
(KGO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KOA)

6 00 a.m.—Viennese Ensemble.
6 30 a.m.—Vagabonds.
6 45 a.m.—Originalities.
9 00 a.m.—Dorothy Dreslin, songs.
9 15 a.m.—News Reporter (KJR).
9 30 a.m.—National Farm and Home Hour.
10 15 a.m.—Agriculture Today.
10 30 a.m.—Cecil Solly (KJR).
10 45 a.m.—Judy and Danny.
11 00 a.m.—Adventures in Reading.
11 30 a.m.—Alma Kitchell.
11 45 a.m.—Manhattan Melodies.
12 30 p.m.—News (KJR).
12 45 p.m.—Between the Book Ends.
1 00 p.m.—Club Matinee.
2 00 p.m.—Nathaniel Shilkret.
2 15 p.m.—The Jive Five.
2 30 p.m.—Landt Trio.
2 45 p.m.—Vaughn De Leath, singer.
3 00 p.m.—Erwin Gluckman's Orchestra.
3 15 p.m.—Patricia Gilmore.
3 30 p.m.—Piccadilly Orchestra.
3 45 p.m.—Father and Son.
4 00 p.m.—Frank Hodek's Orchestra.
4 30 p.m.—No Talent Wanted.
4 45 p.m.—Science on the March.
5 00 p.m.—Modern Melodies.
5 15 p.m.—Songs of the Lone Star.
5 30 p.m.—Musical Vignettes.
6 00 p.m.—Hour of Charm.
6 15 p.m.—News Reporter (KJR).
6 30 p.m.—Westminster Choir College.
7 00 p.m.—True or False.
7 30 p.m.—National Radio Forum.
8 00 p.m.—Washington Radio Forum.
8 30 p.m.—Stanford University Programme.
8 45 p.m.—Chez Paree Orchestra.
9 00 p.m.—News Reporter (KJR).
9 15 p.m.—Concert Hall (KJR).
9 30 p.m.—Ricardo's Rhapsodies.
10 00 p.m.—Shep Fields Orchestra.
10 30 p.m.—Southern Tavern Orchestra.
11 00 p.m.—Paul Carson, organist.

COLUMBIA NETWORK
(KVI-KIRO-KFPY-KOIN-KNX-KSL)

8 00 a.m.—Quarter-Hour Glass.
8 15 a.m.—Eton Boys.
8 30 a.m.—Newsreel (KIRO).
8 45 a.m.—Weather Forecast (KIRO).
9 00 a.m.—Connie Worth.
9 15 a.m.—Her Honor, Nancy James.
9 30 a.m.—Romance of Helen Trent.
9 45 a.m.—Our Gal Sunday.
10 00 a.m.—The Goldbergs.
10 15 a.m.—Life Can Be Beautiful.
10 30 a.m.—The Family Doctor (KIRO).
10 45 a.m.—Feminine Forum (KIRO).
11 00 a.m.—Big Sister.
11 15 a.m.—Aunt Jenny's Stories.
11 30 a.m.—American School of the Air.
12 00 noon—News at Noon (KIRO).
12 15 p.m.—Singin' Sam.
12 30 p.m.—Scattergood Baines.
12 45 p.m.—Fletcher Wiley.
1 00 p.m.—Pretty Kitty Kelly.
1 15 p.m.—Myrt and Marge.
1 30 p.m.—Hilltop House.
1 45 p.m.—Stepmother.
2 00 p.m.—Matinee Promenade.
2 15 p.m.—[illegible]
2 45 p.m.—[illegible] and [illegible]
3 00 p.m.—News.
3 05 p.m.—Third Avenue Parade.
3 30 p.m.—Today.
3 45 p.m.—Maury Rider.
4 00 p.m.—County Seat.
4 15 p.m.—Job Finder.
4 30 p.m.—Seattle P.T.A.
4 45 p.m.—Modern Science Series.
5 00 p.m.—Hits and Encores.
5 15 p.m.—Howie Wing.
5 30 p.m.—Headlines on Parade.
6 00 p.m.—Radio Theatre.
7 00 p.m.—Guy Lombardo's Orchestra.
7 30 p.m.—Eddie Cantor.
8 00 p.m.—The People's Vote, Sam Hays.
8 15 p.m.—Lum and Abner.
8 30 p.m.—Pick and Pat, with Edward Roecker, baritone.
9 00 p.m.—Cavalcade of America.
9 30 p.m.—Sophie Tucker.
9 45 p.m.—Seattle Forum (KIRO).
10 15 p.m.—Nightcap Yarns.
10 30 p.m.—Night Extra (KIRO).
11 00 p.m.—Gems of Melody.
11 15 p.m.—Echoes of Stage and Screen.
11 45 p.m.—Prelude to Midnight.

MUTUAL-DON LEE NETWORK
(KOL, Seattle)

8 00 a.m.—Eight o'Clock Clipper.
8 30 a.m.—Haven of Rest.
9 00 a.m.—Katz on the Keys.
9 15 a.m.—Home Town.
9 30 a.m.—News Flashes.
9 45 a.m.—Patty Jean Health Club.
10 00 a.m.—Happy Gang.
10 15 a.m.—Radio Garden Club.
10 45 a.m.—Voice of Experience.
11 00 a.m.—Nation's School of the Air.
11 30 a.m.—Pauline Alpert, piano.
11 45 a.m.—Muse and Music.
12 00 noon—News Flashes.
12 15 p.m.—Concert Hall.
12 30 p.m.—The Cats and the Fiddle.
12 45 p.m.—Hollywood Charm Counsellor.
1 00 p.m.—Monitor Views the News.
1 45 p.m.—Book a Week.
2 00 p.m.—Patty Jean Health Club.
2 15 p.m.—Johnson Family.
2 30 p.m.—Three Graces.
2 45 p.m.—Matinee Manor.
3 00 p.m.—Feminine Fancies.
3 45 p.m.—Game of the Air.
4 00 p.m.—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
4 15 p.m.—News.
5 00 p.m.—Studies in Contrasts.
5 15 p.m.—Adventures of Genera! Parker.
5 30 p.m.—Dick Tracy.
5 45 p.m.—Little Orphan Annie.
6 00 p.m.—Jack Armstrong.
6 15 p.m.—Phantom Pilot.
6 30 p.m.—News Flashes.
6 45 p.m.—Frank Bull.
7 00 p.m.—Croonaders.
7 15 p.m.—George Hamilton's Orchestra.
7 30 p.m.—The Lone Ranger.
8 00 p.m.—Don Isham Presents.
8 30 p.m.—Ruth Harris, songs.
8 45 p.m.—Political News Hunt.
9 00 p.m.—Newspaper of the Air.
9 15 p.m.—Frank and Archie.
9 30 p.m.—Jan Garber's Orchestra.
9 45 p.m.—To be announced.
10 00 p.m.—Devil's Scrapbook.
10 20 p.m.—Jose Manzanero's Tango Orch.
11 00 p.m.—Shep Fields Orchestra.
11 15 p.m.—Ran Wild's Orchestra.
11 30 p.m.—Skinnay Ennis Orchestra.
11 45 p.m.—Midnight Matinee.

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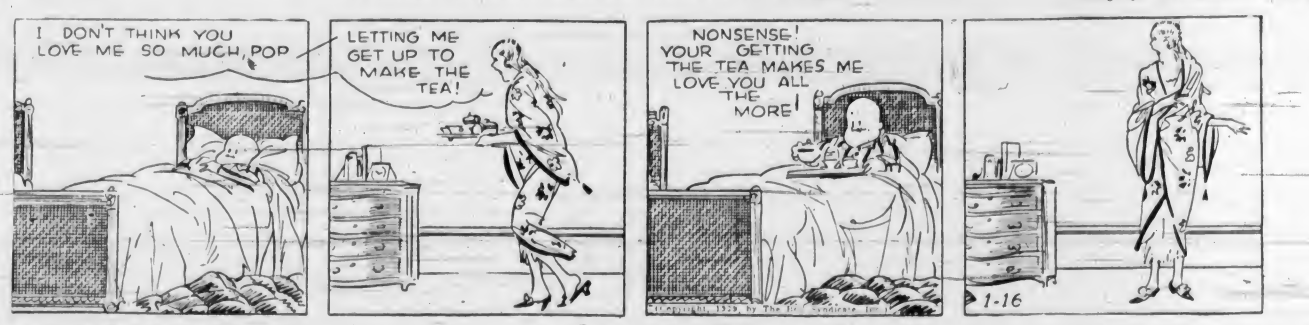
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1 BIRTHS

TAYLOR—At the Jubilee Hospital, on January 12, to Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor, 488 Monterey Avenue, a son.

2 DEATHS

MURPHY—On Friday, January 13, there passed away in this city George H. Murphy, age sixty-three years, born in Ontario and a resident of Victoria for the past twenty-five years. There remain to survive his passing, a brother, Fred H. Murphy, of Ottawa, Ont.
The remains are resting at the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., from where the funeral arrangement will be announced later.

MURPHY—On Friday, January 13, on the Island Highway, near the Four-Mile Hill, John William Murphy, age forty-seven years and a resident of Vancouver Island for the past three years. He is survived by relatives in Eastern Canada.
The funeral will take place on Tuesday, January 17, at 10.30 o'clock, from the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., and the remains will be laid at rest in the Colwood Burial Park.

GAETZ—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on January 13, 1939, Raymond Leonard Gaetz, of 2430 Central Avenue, Oak Bay, in his seventy-second year, born in Nova Scotia and a resident of Victoria for five months, formerly of Red Deer, Alta. Survived by his wife at the residence.
The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, and will be forwarded on Monday to Red Deer, where services will be held, and interment made on Friday, January 20.

SINCLAIR—Suddenly, in this city, Saturday morning, there passed away George Alfred Sinclair, at the age of sixty-three years. The late Mr. Sinclair was born in London, England, and moved to this city eight years ago from Saskatoon, Sask. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Anna C. Wakefield, of Coral Court, this city, and Mrs. M. Henson, at Saskatoon, Sask.; two sisters in England, a granddaughter, Phyllis, in this city, and two grandsons, Selborne and George, at Saskatoon.
S. J. Curry & Son have charge of funeral arrangements.

HALL—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Saturday, January 14, Mary Catherine Hall, aged sixty-two years, wife of William Hall, of 1256 Denman Street. The late Mrs. Hall was born in Manchester, England, and had been a resident of this city for the last twenty-nine years. She is mourned by, besides her husband, two sons, Ernest, in South America, and William, at home, and one daughter, Mrs. J. Rodd, Jasmine Avenue, Marigold; also a sister, Mrs. J. Edwards, of Wales, and a brother and two sisters in England.
The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, where private services will be held on Monday, after which cremation will take place in Royal Oak Crematorium.

OSBORNE—At his residence, Leechtown, B.C., on January 8, 1939, there passed away at the age of sixty-seven years, Ben Osborne. Born in Michigan, U.S.A., the late Mr. Osborne had been a resident on Vancouver Island for the past five years. He resided in Swift Current, Sask., for a number of years, moving to Banff, Alta., where he was employed at the Banff National Park, and later still resided in Vancouver, B.C. There remain to survive his passing, his wife, at present in Axtel, Colo., U.S.A.; a brother, Frank, of Swift Current, Sask.; a sister, Mrs. Mary Wilks, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., and several nieces and nephews.
The remains are resting at the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., from where the funeral service will be conducted on Monday, January 16, 1939, at 2 o'clock. The remains will be laid at rest in the Colwood Burial Park.

SIMPSON—On January 13, 1939, at the family residence, 1176 Hampshire Road, Sydney Seymour Simpson, aged eighty-two years, born in Yorkshire, England, and a resident of this city for two and a half years, formerly of Battleford, Sask. Survived by his wife, two sons, Sydney Henry, Duck Lake, Sask., and George Harold, of Battleford, Sask.; three daughters, Miss Ethel Myrtle Simpson, at home; Mrs. Harold M. Lamont, Portland, Ore., and Mrs. James W. McGillvary, Prince Albert, Sask.; one adopted daughter, Mrs. Wilfred T. Seaton, North Battleford, Sask.; and two sisters in England, Mrs. Pearce-Ellis, Gloucestershire, and Mrs. M. Pickering, Doncaster.
The funeral will be held on Monday, the cortege leaving the residence, 1176 Hampshire Road, at 1.45 p.m., proceeding to St. Mary's Church, where services will be conducted at 2 o'clock. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co., directors.

2 DEATHS (Continued)

BELL—At the family residence, "Acuda," Carey Road, on January 13, 1939, there passed away Mrs. Mabel Lydia Bell, aged sixty-six years, widow of the late Mr. John Alexander Bell, who passed away in December 1938, and for many years a resident of Calgary, Alta. The late Mrs. Bell was born in Welland, Ontario, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past four years. She leaves to mourn, one brother and one sister, Mr. S. A. Van Every, of Charlotte, North Carolina, and Mrs. Beamer, residing in Toronto, Ont.
Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Thomson Funeral Home on Tuesday afternoon, January 17, at 2.30, Mr. Robert C. J. Weres officiating. Interment will be in the family plot in the Royal Oak Burial Park. (Calgary papers please copy.)

JACKLIN—On Saturday evening, January 14, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, there passed away Mrs. Sarah Jane Jacklin, age seventy-seven years, born in Cumberland, England, and a resident of Esquimalt for the past fourteen years, late residence 1391 Plumstead Street, Esquimalt. She is survived by six sons, William, in Hamilton, Ontario; Benjamin, of 1586 Haig Street, Esquimalt; Robert, of Calgary; Christopher Charles, of Prince Rupert; George Frederick, 247 Cook Street, and Henry Prentice Jacklin, of Quebec; one daughter, Mrs. Wilmer Hogaboam, of Derwent, Alberta; also seventeen grandchildren.
The funeral will take place on Tuesday, January 17, at 2 o'clock, in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. A. Bischlager will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

5 IN MEMORIAM

SPARROW—In loving memory of John C. Sparrow, who passed away January 15, 1937.

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Of dear father, gone to rest,
And the ones who think of him today
Are the ones who loved him best.

—Inserted by daughters and sons.

d'ARC—Philip Turner, dearly beloved husband of Mabelle Frederica d'Arc, "Lew Cottage," Hamiota Street, Oak Bay, Victoria, B.C., entered into Eternal Rest, January 16, 1930. The remains were laid to rest with those of his little son (and only child) "Bubbles" (Carus) in Ross Bay Cemetery.
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"There shall be no more crying, neither sorrow nor pain ... and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes."
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KELLY—In loving memory of my dear husband, Joseph Kelly, who died January 18, 1937.

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His gentle face to see,
To hear his voice, and see his smile,
That meant so much to me.
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And I am sitting alone,
There always comes a longing, Joe,
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual general meeting of Victoria Unit No. 12, Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, will be held on Thursday, January 19, 1939, in the Club Auditorium, 1001 Wharf Street, at 8 p.m. J. C. Rivers, secretary.

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STUCCO OVER SHINGLES — SEVEN-roomed house in excellent condition, close to street car and bus, churches, schools, theatre and stores. The property has over 90 feet frontage on Hampshire Road. It is owned in England. We are instructed to sacrifice at $3,750. Alfred Carmichael & Co., Ltd., 1216 Broad Street. Real Estate and Insurance.

SEAFRONT! SAFE ANCHORAGE! EXceptionally well-built family home in attractive setting of ½ acre, 2-mile circle. Taxes $163. Price, $3,875. Alex Page. E 2144.

SNAP—FIVE ROOMED BUNGALOW, 1120 Burdett Avenue, two pantries, reception hall, basement, piped furnace, newly decorated. Owner, 1120 Burdett Avenue, phone E 7637.

SACRIFICE—$895 CASH, 4-ROOMED cottage, new roof, modern conveniences, shower, outside recently painted, within 1½-mile circle. Taxes $30. Box 3298, Colonist.

$500 CASH, BALANCE MONTHLY—Fully furnished three-roomed modern bungalow, Saanich taxes, 2½-mile circle. Just two years old, clear title. Must sell, owner leaving for England. No agents. Box 3349, Colonist.

$1650 FULL PRICE FIVE-ROOM fully furnished home, good cond. lot, garage, good lot, walking distance. Owner, 619 David Street.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE
(Continued)

OAK BAY SPECIAL
Close to the Sea—Just Completed
Excellent Value

THIS VERY ATTRACTIVE, WELL-CONstructed, five-room, stucco bungalow, consisting of large living-room with open fireplace, dining-room, kitchen and two bedrooms. Built-in features, three-piece bathroom, hardwood floors; high basement (cemented), garage. Low taxes. Average lot. Title clear. Price only $3100
Terms to suit purchaser. Why pay rent?

JUST OFF BELMONT AVENUE
A Real Bargain at $775

THIS FOUR-ROOM COTTAGE, CONSISTing of living-room, kitchen and two bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, large lot, southerly aspect. Immediate possession. Rental value $16 per month. Cement basement, furnace.

OFF BURNSIDE ROAD (SAANICH)

FOUR-ROOM COTTAGE, CONSISTING of living-room, kitchen and two bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, basement. Lot 50 x 184. Yearly taxes only $19. Early possession. Thirty choice fruit trees; also small fruits. Only (terms allowed) $1150

NORTH QUADRA SPECIAL
Choice Location—High Elevation

THIS WELL-PLANNED, NEW, FIVE-room stucco bungalow, consisting of large reception-room with open fireplace, dining-room, kitchen and two bedrooms. Two additional rooms allowed for in attic. Built-in features, hardwood floors, three-piece bathroom; furnace, garage in high cement basement. Yearly taxes about $27. Immediate possession. To duplicate this house today would cost you at least $300 more. Price (reasonable terms) $3975

CLOSE IN (JUST OFF QUADRA)

FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, CONSISTING of living-room, dining-room, kitchen and two bedrooms, three-piece bathroom; open fireplace, walking distance. Only $1250
(Requires $400 Cash.)

OFF OAK BAY AVENUE
Reduced From $4,000 to $2650
Must Be Sold—Immediate Possession

NICELY-PLANNED SIX-ROOM RESIdence, consisting of large living-room with open fireplace, dining-room, den with open fireplace, kitchen and three bedrooms; three-piece bathroom; hot water heating, wash tubs, hardwood floors, cement basement, 76-foot frontage, several fruit and oak trees. Terms to arrange.

HILLSIDE DISTRICT—SNAP

TO CLOSE AN ESTATE—TWO DWELLings, having six and eight rooms respectively, in excellent state of repair. Both rented. Full details at office only. Clear title. Only (cash) $1250

H. G. DALBY & CO., LTD.
634 View Street Opposite Spencer's

TEN-ROOM HOUSE — HARDWOOD floors, open fireplaces, hot water heating, sawdust burner, 2 bathrooms, 7 bedrooms and room for three more in attic, 2 large lots, garage, close in and in good locality. Terms arranged. $3,750. The City Brokerage, 1018 Blanshard Street.

$250 CASH PAYMENT OR LESS TO A reliable party. You can buy a five-room modern bungalow, Gordon Head district. Hardwood floors, furnace, full cement basement, chicken house and one acre of ground well planted in large and small fruits. A home you would be very proud to own. Total price only $3,450. Why pay rent?

$850 ON VERY EASY TERMS—A FOUR-room bungalow with a basement and general good condition, Esquimalt district. Close to street car.

$950—A SNAPPY LITTLE HOME OF five rooms just off Fernwood Road, close High School. Just decorated throughout. Easy terms. Low taxes.

$150 CASH PAYMENT. BALANCE rent. Taxes low. A five-room cottage just off Cook Street, walking distance to City Hall. New plumbing and thoroughly decorated. You cannot afford to pay rent when you can buy a home of this kind on such easy terms.

$2750—A SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW just behind the Normal School, Mount Tolmie. High location and large lot. Low taxes. Basement and furnace. We have had many inquiries for a home of this kind in this district. Here is your opportunity.

GEORGE RANDALL
1303 Douglas Street G 7241

$850—FOUR-ROOMED COTTAGE, SITting-room, two bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, basement. Lot 50 x 112. Located in Saanich, close to city. Taxes $10. Half cash, balance on terms.

$2100—NEARLY NEW STUCCO SEMI-bungalow. Living-room, open fireplace; three bedrooms, three-piece bathroom; kitchen and breakfast nook; cement basement, furnace and garage. Located in Saanich on high lot with nice garden. This is a real good buy.

$3000—VERY FINE HOME OF EIGHT rooms. Living-room with open fireplace, dining-room, den, one bedroom, kitchen, glassed-in sun porch and laundry tubs and toilet down; three large bedrooms, sleeping porch, bathroom and separate toilet up. Cement basement with furnace. Separate garage. The house stands on large lot on high location in city. This is a bargain at the above price.

F. E. HEATH
623 Yates Street Phone E 4041

$2650—SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW, JUST off Oak Bay Avenue, near Jubilee Hospital. Newly painted and decorated, with new patent shingle roof. This house contains five rooms and bath downstairs, two fireplaces and hardwood floors, and one bedroom upstairs. Good basement, hot-air furnace, garage and large garden with fruit trees.

VERY WELL-BUILT BUNGALOW WITH five large rooms, on 75-foot garden lot, at the Willows. Stucco construction, patent shingle roof, oak floors in hall, living and dining-rooms; hot-water heating; exceptionally fine basement. Outside garage. Owner asks $4,250, but is open to offers.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Real Estate Department
1202 Government St. Phones E 4126, E 2130

923 COLLINSON STREET—SIX-ROOM stucco bungalow, just renovated. New floors throughout, good three-piece bath, full cement basement, furnace. Lot runs from Collinson Street to Rupert Street. New garage entrance from Rupert Street. Can be purchased with reasonable down payment and balance in monthly payments as rent. For further particulars as to price, etc., kindly call at the office and see Chas. R. Bishop.
No Telephone Information Given on the Property
BISHOP & WORTHINGTON LIMITED
576 Yates Street Phone E 3241

$2500—FULLY MODERN FIVE-ROOM stucco bungalow. Good part of Oak Bay. Six or seven years old. Fireplace, hardwood floors, modern bathroom, furnace, cement basement, garage. Lot 50x120.
CONYERS-WILDERS CO.
621 Broughton St. (See W. H. Hilton)

$1000—MODERN 4-ROOM BUNGAlow, furnace, fireplace, bath and toilet, electric range, close in. Saanich. Chisholm, 1315 Douglas.

$1250 CASH—Modern 7-Room Furn. house, rev. $40 mo., living quarters. Total $2,250. Box 3032, Colonist.

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

FIVE-ROOM STUCCO, HIGH QUADRA district, $500 cash, balance $25 monthly. Box 3297, Colonist.

HAVE CASH BUYER FOR FOUR OR five-room bungalow in good locality, $1,500 or under. Newstead Realty, 213-14 Sayward Building. E 1621.

WILL PAY ALL CASH BETWEEN $1,500 and $2,000 for a suitable four-room bungalow within walking distance centre of city preferred.

WANTED — FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, Fairfield, $2,500.

ALSO WANTED—FOUR OR FIVE-ROOM bungalow, James Bay, priced between $1,000 and $1,500. Buyer waiting. What have you to offer?

ROSEVEAR COMPANY
110 Union Bldg., 612 View Street G 6041

WANTED—GOOD MODERN 6-ROOM house, all on one floor, about $3,000, terms. Box 3310, Colonist.

WANT NINE OR TEN-ROOM HOUSE ON terms, good district. Box 2389, Colonist.

WANTED—GOOD HOUSE, ONE FLOOR, about $1,000. Box 3311, Colonist.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

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GOOD BUILDING LOT FOR SALE ON Heath Drive, off Gorge Road. Phone G 7324 or G 1468.

SHAWNIGAN LAKE—SEVERAL CHOICE lakeside properties for sale, cheap. W. Kempten, 3144 Qu'Appelle St.

"LET'S GO TO THE COTTAGE"

WOULDN'T IT BE FINE TO BE ABLE to say that at any time of the year? Buy a seafront site at "Towner Park," Southern aspect, bathing beach, good soil, timber for firewood. Price for over an acre, $1,300, or $1,550 on uncommonly easy terms. Let us drive you out or come in and get a map.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Real Estate Dept.
1302 Government St. Phones E 4126, E 3130

80D SAANICH

BRENTWOOD BAY — WATERFRONT lot, 50 x 175, $600. Box 3356, Colonist.

BRENTWOOD BAY—ONE ACRE, BEACH Drive, $450. Box 3358, Colonist.

SAANICH, GORGE SECTION — CORNER lot, 102 x 140, high, well located, $150. Box 3360, Colonist.

$850 BUYS A NEAT, CLEAN, LITTLE four-room home. Living-room, two bedrooms, kitchen and two-piece bathroom. Taxes only $10.10 per year.

$1850—FIVE-ROOM SEMI-BUNGAlow (two extra rooms upstairs, full plastered), situated in Saanich, close to city limits. Full cement basement.

$2500—GORGE DISTRICT—FOUR-room bungalow, situated close to street car and stores. Consists of large living-room (open fireplace), two bedrooms, kitchen and modern bathroom. Full cement basement and furnace. This well-built bungalow is good value for a home or an investment.

$125 — A BUILDING LOT SITUATED in Gorge district. Full price is only $125.

ATTENTION!—IF YOU ARE THINKING of building your new home under the NATIONAL HOUSING ACT, consult us for approved building sites. We are authorized agents in Saanich for National Housing Act.

SAANICH REALTY COMPANY
"Specialists in Saanich Properties"
3566 Quadra Street Phone E 0001

4-ROOMED COTTAGE NEW, ON EIGHT acres, splendid location, Cordova Bay, $1,150. Box 3355, Colonist.

81 PROPERTY WANTED

HAVE CASH BUYER. HAVE YOU WHAT I want? Modern country home, with one to four acres garden land. T. P. McConnell, Pemberton Building. Phone Empire 7014.

WANTED — GOOD OAK BAY LOT, high. State location, size and price. Box 3203, Colonist.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—4 ACRES OF LAND, WITH a new 3-roomed cottage, garage, etc., on Island Highway, 100 miles north. Box 3293, Colonist.

85 FARMS FOR SALE

13 ACRES, GOOD BUILDINGS, CITY water, $3,300. Independent Insurance Agencies, Ltd., 600 Fort Street.

87 FARMS WANTED

WANTED

SMALL FARM, ABOUT 5 ACRES, near Saanich Inlet. State fullest particulars.

BOX 2175, COLONIST

WANTED—A SMALL FARM, CLOSE TO Victoria, with modern house. Box 3353, Colonist.

Arthur E. Haynes, Ltd.

$650—4 Rooms and ½ acre good soil, Lake Hill, about 3½ miles out; water piped to house.

OAK BAY DISTRICT

Splendidly built new stucco bungalow, 5 good-size rooms downstairs with lovely 3-piece bathroom. Enclosed stairway to unfinished upstairs. This home has oak floors and tiled features, full cement basement, furnace, garage $4000
$300 Cash, balance $35 per month (rented to excellent tenant for $37.50 per month).

$1800—Terms. 4-room cottage and deep lot, taxes $21. Short distance from Beach Drive.

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TWO FAIRFIELD SPECIALS

ONLY $2500 for six-room (one-floor) bungalow, full cement basement, furnace, nice garden lot close Beacon Hill Park and water. This house is in perfect condition inside and out and the location the best. A real buy for someone.

$1850 CASH—Eight rooms and three-piece bathroom, extra toilet and wash basin on ground floor, full cement basement, furnace, laundry tubs, double garage, very suitable for rooming house, large lot, mortgage sale.

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Monthly Income $47.50

Nine rooms, two bathrooms, furnace heated, close to sea and car. Light taxes. Mortgage $750. Accept clear titled bungalow for equity.

SICKNESS REASON FOR SELLING

James Bay, seven rooms and two lots. Price $500

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OAK BAY

Seven-room stucco home with sunroom, large living-room, large bedrooms, fireplace, hardwood floors, full basement, furnace and sawdust burner. Large lot with fruit. Back lane. A 1 repair throughout. Only $3300

CITY

Six-room bungalow in James Bay. Three bedrooms, built-in bath, hard floors, interior redecorated. Only $1500

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621 Fort Street Phone E 1187

A COMFORTABLE 4-ROOM BUNGALOW
With a Splendid Garden

Situated inside the 2½-mile circle. On high ground; glimpse of a lake. Bungalow contains: Large living-room, sunroom, two bedrooms and a large well-appointed kitchen. All in first-class condition inside and outside. Price
$2100

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Real Estate — Insurance

COLES, HOWELL & CO., LTD.

SIX-ROOM STUCCO HOUSE — Half block from car. To close estate. Cash or terms $750

JAMES BAY, NEAR PARK AND SEA—Modern six-room bungalow, completely redecorated, glassed-in veranda. Owner leaving, is open to offer, below market price, less than $2000

OVERLOOKING THE SEA—Grand view of Olympics and Straits, seven-room family house in A 1 condition inside and out. This is a wonderful bargain. Price cut in half at $2500

REVENUE PRODUCER — Five-room bungalow, like new, conservatory and laundry, four-piece bathroom, overlooking lake, greenhouse about 30 x 15, workshop, incubator room and office, 1,500 incubator, hot-water heated, chicken houses for several hundred, three large garden lots, 2½ miles from City Hall. Small cash payment $2400

GORDON HEAD—1¾ acres, logans and small fruit, five-room bungalow and outbuildings, store, etc., rented. This property shows a good revenue by logans and rents. On bus line. Taxes $28. Price, on terms $2800

170-ACRE FARM—45 acres cultivated, balance pasture, and some timber; 40 tons of hay and seed for this year in barn, sound house, fully equipped farm. Will consider small acreage near Victoria. Price, on terms $5000

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838 VIEW STREET G 1032

PEMBERTON'S

BARGAIN COTTAGE
One-and-Half-Mile Circle

Four large rooms and hallway, bathroom, kitchen, built-in features. Good lot. Garage partly finished. Taxes only $38. Will rent $15 per month. A real snap. Price $725

COTTAGE AND GARDEN

Very neat 3-room cottage, garage and large improved lot, flowers, fish pool, climbers, some fruit trees. There is a concrete foundation and concrete basement, bathroom. Taxes only $32.50. Will take $250 cash from a responsible purchaser. Full price $975

COMPACT SMALL FARM

Fifty acres, with about eight or nine acres cleared. Excellent land. Considerably more acreage can be cleared quite easily. Four-room cottage, small barn, etc. Price $1650

FLASH
HAMPSHIRE ROAD
RE-POSSESSED BY MORTGAGE
YOUR OPPORTUNITY

The house has seven rooms in all, but without going into full details, let our OAK BAY salesman show you the house. Absolutely no obligation. "ACTION" is the word. A bargain at $1700

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UPLANDS RESIDENCE

MOST ATTRACTIVE COLONIAL RESIDENCE. Seven rooms, 2 bedrooms and bathroom down, 2 bedrooms and bathroom up. Oil-O-Matic furnace. GOOD SEA AND MOUNTAIN VIEWS. Price only $6500

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE—Very nice 6-room semi-bungalow, fully modern, near Jericho Beach. Valued at $4,200. Owner desires modern bungalow here; pay difference in cash.

$3250—FOR SHORT TIME ONLY at this price, we offer a $5,500 property, good part of Oak Bay. Six fine rooms, 1 bedroom down and 2 up. Full particulars on request.

WANT A CHICKEN FARM? A pretty 5-room cedar siding bungalow, new and not quite finished, situated on 2 acres of sloping ground, has good shade trees, view, nice garden in the making, good soil, good chicken houses. Saanich taxes, north of town. All priced for $3000

JAMES BAY—Five extra large rooms, very well built, finest of hardwood floors, glassed-in veranda, automatic oil hot water heating, renewed plumbing, etc. Get more details from us—this may be the home you are looking for. Price $3150

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1939 MODEL

If one desires to own a bungalow which is up to date in every particular, we suggest the following: Commanding fine view of sea and mountains, this modern home contains five rooms, living-room with open fireplace, dining-room, 3 bedrooms and kitchen, 3-piece bathroom. The kitchen and bathroom are unusually large for a house of this size. Now being completed and ready for occupation February 1. This property will be sold at

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Almost new 6-room stucco bungalow, 3 bedrooms, large living-room, dining-room, kitchen with built-in Frigidaire, tonsils; basement with shower and change room. Private swimming pool. Good safe anchorage. Large garden. Splendid location with magnificent marine view. Price $10500

ROCKLAND AVENUE
A small town house of 7 rooms in perfect condition. Ready for immediate occupation. The best buy in this exclusive residential district. Price $9500

GORGE
A new 4-room stucco bungalow, basement, garage. Price $2250

WALKING DISTANCE
Five-room modern bungalow, fireplace in living-room; stairway to unfinished attic. Suitable for conversion into duplex. Price $200 cash and assume mortgage $1250

NINE-MILE CIRCLE
A neat 5-room bungalow; open fire, basement, furnace, etc; 12½ acres good land, 4 cleared; city water and light. Chicken house, barn, good highway. Will trade for Salt Spring. Price $3000

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FIVE ROOMS AND BATHROOM in perfect condition inside and outside, with a nice garden. Complete in every way with full cement basement. HOT WATER HEATING SYSTEM. Extra plumbing fixtures in basement. Garage. Blinds, inlaid linoleum, electric fixtures, etc. An extra bright home not overlooked by others, situated on the close-in Gorge district. Clear title.

ONLY $1995 TERMS!
First Payment $195, Balance Arranged For Inspection, "Bee Ray," Care of
L. M. ROSEVEAR & CO., LTD.
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Price Reduction in Ardmore Subdivision, Saanich Arm
All Prices in This Exclusive Subdivision Have Now Been Greatly Reduced. For Further Information See Your Agent or Apply to
ARTHUR E. HAYNES LIMITED
725 FORT STREET
(Exclusive Agents) Phone E 3823

EXTRA SPECIAL
IF SOLD BY TUESDAY PRICE ONLY $2300
Finest part of Oak Bay, just south of the Avenue. Six-room semi-bungalow in perfect condition; full cement basement, furnace, garage, nice garden, trees, flowers, pools. Quick action is required on this bargain.
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SMALL ROOMING HOUSE—Very conveniently located to cars, and easy walking distance. This is completely furnished, including radio, and is offered as a going concern. Taxes only $98.00, and price $2850
A Home and a Good Investment
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A home with pleasant surroundings; well situated, large lot, variety of rock plants. Almost new five-room stucco bungalow, with two unfinished rooms upstairs. Special attention has been given to interior finish by owner. Built-in room and kitchen fixtures are of the latest; hot-water heating completes this first-class home.
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4 Room, basement furnace, separate garage $3900
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LOTS at Gorge and Oak Bay Cheap
3 Acres, 6-rm. stucco bungalow $3100
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A Spacious Home
Situated in Oak Bay on two lots amid oak trees and fine garden. There are four bedrooms, two bathrooms, den, dining-room, living-room and kitchen. Basement and furnace. A fine investment or home. Price on terms.
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OAK BAY
Five-room bungalow, basement, furnace and garage $4600
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Four-room Bungalow, basement, etc. ½ acre, fruit trees, small fruits, barn and chicken house $1750
HOPE & CO.
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Military Activities

5th B.C. COAST BRIGADE, R.C.A.

Brigade Orders by Lieut.-Colonel V. McKenna, V.C., Officer Commanding:

Part I

Duties for Week Ending January 21, 1939—Orderly officer, Lieut. A. D. Morris; next for duty, 2nd Lieut. E. F. Marshall. Orderly sergeant, Sgt. F. E. Waring; next for duty, L.-Sgt. W. N. Armstrong. Orderly bombardier, Bdr. E. Bray; next for duty, Bdr. J. W. Hunt. Orderly trumpeter, Bdr. F. J. Harvey.

Parades—All units of the Brigade will parade at the Armoury on Tuesday, January 17, 1939. Dress, mufti. Fall in at 19:00 hours, under respective battery commanders. Supper will be served to all ranks at 18:15 hours. Swimming pool will be available from 17:00 to 18:00 hours.

Artillery Efficiency Competitions, 1938. The following is a letter received from Headquarters, M.D.XI: 1. "I am instructed to state that a letter reading as follows has been received from the Chief of the General Staff: 'It is noted with pleasure that the keenness in training displayed by the 55th, 56th, 85th and 68th Heavy Batteries, R.C.A., has won for them places in C.A.A. Competitions for Coast Artillery, as shown: 55th Heavy Battery, R.C.A., first place in general efficency and second place in gun practice (A). 56th Heavy Battery, R.C.A., first place in gun practice (A). 85th Heavy Battery, R.C.A., first place in gun practice (B). 68th Heavy Battery, R.C.A., second place in gun practice (B). Will you please inform the officers commanding these units that the Honorable the Minister and Members of the Defence Council congratulate them and all ranks on the good work done and the very high standard of efficiency shown by them. (Sgd.) T. V. Anderson, Major-General, Chief of the General Staff.' 2. I am instructed to convey the congratulations of the District Officer Commanding, C. Sanford, Major, General Staff, M.D. No. 11."

Notice

All signallers wishing to take a Regimental School will report to their Battery Commanders prior to the parade, Tuesday, at 19:00 hours.

F. T. McINTOSH, Capt. and Adjt., 5th B.C. Coast Brigade, R.C.A.

17th FORTRESS COY., ROYAL CANADIAN ENGINEERS

Orders for the week ending Tuesday, January 17, 1939, by Major J. H. McIntosh, Officer Commanding.

Parades—The 17th Fortress Coy., R.C.E., will parade at Coy. H.Q. at 20:00 hours Tuesday, January 17, 1939. Dress, drill order.

Duties—To be orderly sergeant for the ensuing week, L.-Sgt. A. W. Pankhurst.

J. H. McINTOSH, Major, O.C. 17th Fortress Coy., R.C.E., (N.P.).

1st Bn. (16th C.E.F.) CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT

Battalion Orders by Major E. A. Henderson, Officer Commanding:

Part I

Orderly Duties—Orderly duties for week ending January 21, 1939, are as follows: Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. G. Barclay; next for duty, 2nd Lieut. J. L. Muirhead. Orderly sergeant, A.-Sgt. G. A. Aaronson; next for duty, A.-Sgt. A. Gorse. Orderly corporal, Corp. R. M. Parker; next for duty, Corp. D. H. Grant. Duty company, "D" Company; next for duty, "H.Q." Company.

Battalion Training Parade, Monday, January 16, 1939—All ranks will parade in Company rooms at 19:55 hours. Dress, drill order. The battalion will fall in at 20:00 hours, 20:00 hours to 20:10 hours, the roll will be called by companies on the floor of the Armoury, 20:10 hours to 20:55 hours, "A" and "B" Companies: "Sand Model; Infantry in the Attack"; "C" and "D" Companies: "Guard Training" 21:00 hours to 21:40 hours, "A" and "B" Companies: "Guard Training", "C" and "D" Companies: "Sand Model; Infantry in the Attack." Roll books and parade states will be completed by 21:30 hours. 21:40 hours, the battalion will fall in for dismissal.

Recruits Training—Monday, January 16, and Thursday, January 19, 1939, recruits will assemble for training on these dates at 20:00 hours. Dress will be optional.

Notices

The monthly meeting of the Regimental Officers' Mess will be held on Thursday, January 19, 1939, at 20:30 hours. Dress, blue undress.

The monthly meeting of the Regimental Sergeants' Mess will be held on Thursday, January 19, 1939. Dress, blue undress.

The monthly meeting of the Corporals' and Men's Mess will be held Thursday, January 19, 1939, at 20:00 hours. Dress, white shell.

Part II

Leave of Absence—The following are granted leave, as shown: 1460, Sgt. C. A. Brown, "S.B." from 3-1-39 to 17-2-39; 1530, Corp. A. Knowles, "A." from 9-1-39 to 16-1-39; 1470, Corp. T. Shaw, "D." from 16-1-39 to 23-2-39; 1703, L.-Corp. H. M. Butt, "S.B." from 3-1-39 to 17-2-39; 1764, Pte. R. S. Butt, "S.B." from 3-1-39 to 17-2-39; 1793, Pte. A. O. Carruthers, "A." from 9-1-39 to 6-3-39; 1862, Bglr. C. Lewis, "A." from 9-1-39 to 13-2-39; 1745, Drmr. G. Richardson, "C." from 9-1-39 to 30-3-39.

Sick Leave—The following N.C.O. has been granted sick leave: 1799, L.-Corp. W. James, "D." from 12-1-39 to 13-2-39.

Retirement—The following extract from District Order No. 2 of 1939 is published: "Lieut. H. J. Bayliss is permitted to resign his commission with effect from October 19, 1938."

Struck Off Training Strength—The following are struck off the training strength: 1830, Pte. J. A. Churchill, "D." with effect from 19-12-38; 1858, Drmr. C. G. Churchill, "D." with effect from 19-12-38.

W. H. PARKER, Captain, Adjt. 1st Bn. Can. Scottish Regt.

2nd Bn. (M.G.) CAN. SCOTTISH REGIMENT

Battalion Orders by Lieut.-Col. Walter Bapty, Officer Commanding:

Part I

Orderly Duties—Orderly duties for week ending January 21, 1939: Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. P. D. Crofton; next for duty, Lieut. N. J. Williams. Orderly sergeant, L.-Sgt. H. W. Geise; next for duty, Sgt. H. Nicholls. Orderly piper, Piper F. Knight; next for duty, Piper E. Crabbe.

Promotional Examinations (N.P.A.M.)—Examination for promotion of other ranks will be arranged at Units' Headquarters on application to District Headquarters. Not more than eight candidates will be examined at one time, and the examination will take one complete day and an evening. Only candidates will be examined who have attended at least one period of camp training.

Attendance at Battalion Headquarters—There will be no attendance of any rank of headquarters staff, pipes and drums, or "D" Company, on Wednesday evening, January 18, 1939, at the Armoury.

Part II

Attestations—971, Piper J. McPherson, "Pipes and Drums," with effect from 9-11-38; 344, Pte. A. Muir, "B." with effect from 19-9-38; 345, Pte. R. W. Ouellette, "B." with effect from 19-9-38.

Discharges—975, Pte. I. B. Hoy, "D." with effect from 31-12-38; 603, Pte. G. S. Roberts, "C." with effect from 14-12-38.

Certificates—Lieut. E. G. English, Cert. No. 89585, C.S.A.S., "B" Wing; 2nd Lieut. W. J. M. Tater, Cert. No. 89586, C.S.A.S., "B" Wing; 2nd Lieut. D. C. Stephenson, Cert. No. 89846, Lieut. Inf. M.G. (District Order 316 of 1938).

Promotions—The O.C. has been pleased to approve of the following promotions: 149, L.-Cpl. C. J. Smith, "A." to be corporal as from 12-1-39; 172, L.-Cpl. L. G. Lazell, "A." to be corporal as from 13-1-39.

Notices

The monthly meeting of the Regimental Officers' Mess will be held on Thursday, January 19, 1939, at 20:30 hours. Dress, blue undress.

The monthly meeting of the Regimental Sergeants' Mess will be held on Thursday, January 19, 1939. Dress, blue undress.

D. G. CROFTON, Captain, Adjt. 2nd Bn. (M.G.) Can. Scottish Regiment.

6th DIVISIONAL R.C.A.S.C. Petrol Coy., 2nd Composite Coy.

Orders for the week ending January 21, 1939. Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. R. MacLeod; next for duty, 2nd Lieut. H. T. Scott. Orderly sergeant, Sgt. Flood; next for duty, Sgt. Brantson.

Both units will parade at the Armoury, Bay Street, Tuesday, January 17, 1939, at 20:00 hours.

Strength Increase—Dvr. W. R. Ritchie, to Petrol Coy., 20-12-39.

K. E. MORRIS, Lieut. For Officer Commanding.

No. 5 ARMY FIELD WORKSHOP R.C.O.C. (N.P.)

Orders by Lieut.-Col. H. E. Goodman, Officer Commanding.

Part I

Parade—No. 5 Army Field Workshop, R.C.O.C. (N.P.) will parade at R.C.O.C. Depot, Signal Hill, at 20:00 hours (8:00 p.m.) on Tuesday, January 17, 1939. Dress, drill order.

Duties—Orderly officer for the week, Lieut. A. D. Clelland, next for duty, Lieut. H. A. Sturrock. Orderly sergeant for the week, Sgt. H. M. MacKay; next for duty, Sgt. R. M. Burnett.

Part II

Promotions—Sgt. H. M. Mackay, to be acting-staff-sergeant, 10-1-39; Sgt. J. Rutherford, to be acting-staff-sergeant, 10-1-39; Cpl. E. B. Mitchell, to be acting-sergeant, 10-1-39.

Strength Decrease — Pte. A. Walker, struck off strength, 10-1-39; Pte. H. France, struck off strength (deceased), 10-1-39.

J. A. BENNELL, Lieut. A.-Adjt. No. 5 Army Field Workshop, R.C.O.C. (N.P.).

No. XI DISTRICT STORE SECTION, ROYAL CANADIAN ORDNANCE CORPS (N.P.)

Orders for week ending January 21, 1939 by Capt. H. Collings, M.B.E., Officer Commanding.

Parades—No. XI District Store Section, R.C.O.C., will parade at unit headquarters, Signal Hill, Esquimalt, at 20:00 hours, Thursday, January 19, 1939.

Duties—Orderly sergeant for week ending January 21, Cpl. J. McGrath; next for duty, Cpl. F. H. Neal.

H. COLLINGS, Capt. Officer Commanding.

13th FIELD AMBULANCE, R.C.A.M.C. (N.P.)

Part I

Parade—The unit will parade at the Armoury, Bay Street, Victoria, B.C., on Tuesday, January 17, 1939, at 19:45 hours. Dress, drill order.

Orderly Duties—To be orderly officer, Lieut. L. Bassett; next for duty, Lieut. A. Turnbull. To be orderly sergeant, S.-Sgt. H. A. Bosher; next for duty, Sgt. E. Jones.

Unit Drill—At 20:15 hours.

Lectures—On first aid, water cart and panniers at 21:00 hours.

Part II

Strength Increase—No. 129, Pte. G. W. Allen, attested and taken on strength, Pt. 20, No. 1, effective 10-1-39.

Strength Decrease—No. 42, A.-Sgt. J. Moffit, struck off strength; No. 94, Pte. W. B. Woodward, struck off strength; No. 100, Pte. D. J. O'Brien, struck off strength; Pt. 20, No. 1, effective 10-1-39.

Leave of Absence—No. 60, R.S.M. E. J. Harwood, from 1-1-39 to 19-1-39; No. 54, A.-R.S.M. R. Goodell, from 10-1-39 to 18-1-39; No. 101, Pte. D. J. Phillips, from 10-1-39 to 28-2-39; No. 91, Pte. J. O'Connell, from 10-1-39 to 31-1-39; Pt. 20, No. 1, effective 10-1-39.

C. A. WATSON, Capt. and Adjt., 13th Field Ambulance.

CANADIAN CORPS OF COMMISSIONAIRES

Victoria (and V.I.) Company

Orders by Commander C. T. Beard, R.C.N., Commandant.

Orderly staff sergeant for the month ending February 3, Staff-Sergt. A. Derbyshire.

Orderly commissionaire, Commissionaire E. Naylor; next for duty, Commissionaire B. Skehan.

Command—Commander C. T. Beard, R.C.N., assumed command of the company on January 10, 1939, on invitation of the Corps Council.

Due Cards—All due cards must be handed in after parade Monday, January 16. New cards will then be issued.

Leave—Leave of absence has been granted to Lieut.-Colonel H. H. B. Cunningham, T.D. (Adjutant), from January 3, 1939, due to severe illness. Leave also granted to Commissionaire T. H. Flavelle from January 12 to April 11, 1939, due to illness.

Parade—The company, less those in permanent employment, will parade Monday, January 16, at headquarters. Time, 10:30 hours. Dress: Uniform, medals.

C. T. BEARD, R.C.N., Commander, Commandant.

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Filbert Phipps

NOTE THE TIME

SMALL AND BIG MEN!
If they're shrivelled and shrunk,
Or a big fat hunk,
Pop-bellied, skinny or tall,
When folks are created,
Shrunk up or inflated,
Why are they born at all.

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Young men's sport models in dark grey checks, pleated and half belt back, pleated pants and the latest creation—reversible vest, no matter how "pie-eyed" you are you can't put the vest on wrong. You wear the vest one way on week days, and reverse it for Sunday, and "Presto," you have a new sporty vest. They are real classy suits, and honestly worth twenty bucks. One size 35, and two size 36. HALF PRICE
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Men's Raincoats
"Now listen," don't start asking silly questions they're good heavy fawn colored fabrics, and the only difference between these and other $5.00 coats is that they are four inches longer. The sizes are good, from 36 to 44. They're a wow at
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It's fantastic, It's grotesque, It's bizarre."
A silvery white mane and a lovely said chain.
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We have just bought a load of all sizes of Union Jacks at
HALF PRICE
Get this—they are made in England. Buy your flags now at wholesale prices.

He said he was a working man.
I think he was a freak.
"Why did you close at six," he asked.
"During Christmas week."
"How can I do my shopping
If all the stores are shut."
"Like the store clerks do THEIR shopping," said I.
"As best you can, you mutt."
He prates about the evils
Of selling Iron to Japan,
Where goods are made, that He hows,
He doesn't care a ——.

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1 PAIR ONLY—A nice pair of comfy boots for grandpa, wide fitting, no toe-cap, elastic sides. Size 7½. Regular $3.50 ..... $1.69
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2 PAIRS ONLY—MEN'S SPORT OXFORDS. Black grain, elk soles; 1 size 10; and 1 size 11. Regular $2.50 ..... $1.29
. . . THAT'S THIRTY FOR TONIGHT, FRIENDS!

Lecture to Be Given By Mission Worker

Mrs. Percy Moules, world evangelization crusade missionary, will be a visitor in Victoria this week. Mrs. Moules has been many years working, among the lepers in the heart of Africa, and is now on a deputation tour of this continent. Prior to her visit to Canada, Mrs. Moules took a special medical course in Brussels, Belgium, and headed her class in spite of the fact that the examination was given in French.

Opportunity will be given to Victorians to hear Mrs. Moules, whose lectures have been much appreciated throughout Canada. Meetings have been arranged for next Thursday evening at the Y.M.C.A., and on Friday evening at Emmanuel Baptist Church. Interesting slides will be shown at each meeting.

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DISPATCHERS and WEATHERMEN

By O. T. LARSEN

TECHNICAL ADVISER, METEOROLOGY AND DISPATCH, TRANS-CANADA AIR LINES



1—An observer watching the flight of a balloon with a theodolite to compute the direction and velocity of upper air winds, data of importance to the airman.

2—A member of the meteorological staff recording on a map weather reports received over the teletype circuit from points along the Canadian airway.

3—Trans-Canada operator on a roof handles radio transmission to the plane as it approaches the boundary of the airport. He can see the exact position of all traffic in the air or on the ground.

4—Hydrogen-filled balloons are released and their flight observed through a theodolite for computation of wind velocity and direction.

5—A pair of Trans-Canada Air Lines Lockheed 14 aircraft, the type now flying air mail and air express between Vancouver and Montreal.—Photographs by courtesy of Trans Canada Air Lines.

UNTIL a few years ago, the functions of dispatchers were taken generally as a matter of course. With the advancements achieved in the art of flying, refinements in equipment, the improved weather reporting setup, the more positive methods of airway and terminal weather forecasting, and other important factors too numerous to mention, the dispatcher's position in the industry has recently, however, become one of definite prominence.

The air transport companies look to their dispatchers to monitor carefully and, through close co-operation with flying personnel, exercise the control over flying activities necessary to insure a safe and efficient operation. Dispatchers are trained and assigned to be of assistance and service to the pilot before departures and at all times while trips are enroute, to be constantly on the alert to pass on to the pilot such information, advices, suggestions, and orders as may be necessary to bring to successful conclusion the flight projects in hand. The duties of a dispatcher carry great responsibility and require thorough knowledge and the demonstration of good judgment.

Aeronautical meteorology is the branch of meteorology which deals with the practical application of all the known meteorological facts which may be of use to aircraft pilots and dispatchers in interpreting existing weather situations and in forecasting developments to the end that all flight determinations will be precise and conducive to safety. An intimate knowledge of the characteristics of the atmosphere, therefore, is indispensable for safe and efficient operation. Personnel must, however, thoroughly appreciate the limitations of ability to forecast consistently and accurately certain weather situations, making it necessary that all operations be controlled to insure against extending aircraft operation beyond the reliable limits of our present meteorological knowledge and ability. There must also be a careful balance between meteorological theory and common sense and experience. Neither the theoretical nor the practical angle taken alone will form a very satisfactory basis for dealing with the important weather problem.

TCA in making direct application of the principles of aeronautical meteorology with particular effort toward increasing:

Safety.

Comfort to passengers.

Accuracy in prediction of schedules.

Speed.

In no case can safety or comfort to passengers be sacrificed in favor of speed and regularity of schedules.

Daily Forecasts

TWO separate and distinct types of weather determinations are necessary in the routine conduct of air line operations. Daily (24-hour) forecasts are needed by the air line traffic departments. They make it possible to advise passengers as to whether they will be flown directly through to destination, or if weather developments ahead on the route appear unfavorable for flight, advices regarding delays must be provided well in advance of scheduled departure. Much expense, inconvenience, and loss of company good-will may result if the weather interpretations are not correct. Obviously, this presents one of the important problems in the air transport industry because the good-will of our patrons is largely dependent upon our ability to keep them accurately and intelligently advised. Short period forecasts (trip forecasts) are essential in order that flight plans may be precisely prepared for each specific trip. Such forecasts, obviously, must be detailed and must relate directly to weather conditions expected to prevail along the airway to be flown and at the terminals at which landings are scheduled. TCA looks to the Department of Transport meteorological offices to prepare the forecasts. TCA dispatchers are responsible for the application of the forecasts to the actual operation

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A Touch of Heartbreak

By Josephine Bentham



"It's not that it mattered to me that Lucille was your date for the party," Ronnie explained. "But—but for you to ask me simply because Lucille has gone away——"

RONNIE listened. She listened with respect, for Dick Hendricks was in one of his serious moods. He had been working a blade of grass from one corner of his mouth to the other. Now he looked at Ronnie sternly, finding words without effort for the immense and complex pattern of fate.

"A guy," he said, "has got to look ahead."

Ronnie nodded. "Absolutely."

But he turned red in that instant, apparently disturbed by his own earnestness.

"So now you know!" he jeered. "So little old yours truly is going to be an architect! So ain't it wonderful!"

Ronnie stayed calm under the shadow of the ailanthus tree, smiling absently—not deceived by this obvious burst of humor, still brooding tenderly over the future.

"See you later," he said.

She watched him stride across the lawn to the driveway. With a swagger he got behind the wheel of a small patched and faded automobile. He handled the gears with an exaggerated nonchalance, gave her one of his twisted, wise-guy smiles and rattled off.

But her mood was mellow. She walked into the house and made her way to the living-room.

John Ferguson eyed her over his newspaper—not the newspaper he edited, but the other one, which he read rather critically every day at sundown. He was, however, distracted by his daughter—drawn, as always, by some faint hope of relating her conduct to her thought. Ronnie was a little girl and—before she had drawn breath—she was a woman. John Ferguson was always very careful in his approach to this ambiguous creature.

He watched her. She had not yet seemed to realize he was in the room. She was frowning intently. Now she moved to a bookshelf and pulled out a book. He saw that it was one of her brother's university catalogues. This interested her for a moment. Then she put it aside. She walked to a window and looked out, lost for a time in tranquil reverie. Then, in one swift and sudden dive, she was at the radio. She snapped on jazz. She squared her elbows and flexed her knees and scraped the rug like a young colt trying to get out of a mud puddle.

"Hiyah, Dad!" she said.

A flicker passed over John Ferguson's face. "Good evening, Veronica."

She snapped off the radio.

"They never have anybody decent at six o'clock."

"Ah. I thought they were swinging it."

"Well, they weren't. The trouble with you, Dad, you just don't know swing."

"No," he said. "But once I could do the Charleston."

MARCIA Ferguson came in and closed the screen door carefully. "Well," she said, "the Carrolls are back! That is—Michael and Mary, you know. And their Lucille.

"Good Lord! We hadn't any story about them."

"That's all right. They just drove in—quite unexpectedly. I ran into Renee Lewis and she was telling me about it."

"The gentry," said Ronnie, with derision.

Her father looked at her. "There's that class consciousness again. I don't know where you get it."

"Dad, we're middle-class. Honestly, didn't you know? And the Carrolls—why, they practically own this town and they don't even live here. And all the time Mrs. Carroll has her picture in the roto-gravures!"

"Well," said Ronnie's mother, "Mary Carroll and I smoked our first cigarettes together in a roadster Mary got for her birthday . . ." She broke off with a reminiscent smile. "It's been so many years. . . . We haven't seen Lucille since she was six years old! But, Ronnie—you'll make a special point of being nice to her, won't you, dear? She may feel a little strange after all those schools in Europe."

"Oh, sure!" said Ronnie.

"She's going to the Romp tonight," Ronnie's mother went on easually. "She's going with her father."

Ronnie stiffened. She fixed incredulous eyes upon her mother. "She's going—with her what?"

John Ferguson chuckled. "With her father, your mother said."

Ronnie pretended to swoon. She leaned against the wall, as if for support. Her mother looked at her in some dismay.

"It's all right," Ronnie said weakly. "I'll remember! I'll even tell Dick he's got to dance with her. But he won't want to, because she'll be a dope. Because any girl who'd go to the Romp with her own father——"

Again Ronnie was overcome. But this time she had come close to an admission of the Romp's importance.

This was an affair arranged every Midsummer by the house committee of the Fairside Country Club for those young ladies and gentlemen—children of the club members—who were hovering around their first college year. For some obscure reason of their own, these young people pretended to belittle the Romp, pretended to regard it as a tiresome social obligation incurred by them solely to please their elders. Not for anything in the world would Ronnie have admitted to her parents that she had been living in beatific anticipation of this event for days. . . .

"There," she said, "is the door-bell."

Ronnie went to the door and came back with a square green box. Both her parents watched, and pretended not to watch, while Ronnie untied the ribbon with fingers that were strangely awkward. These were the very first flowers that had ever been sent to Ronnie Ferguson. There was a breathless silence.

Reverently, Ronnie brought out the two gardenias. Her eyes were perilously bright and her smooth young cheeks were scarlet. She tried the effect of the gardenias against her left shoulder. She looked almost helpless with bliss.

"Well," she said, "they're not too awful, are they?"

WHEN Dick called for Ronnie she was ready—she had been ready for forty-five minutes—but she pretended not to be. She could hear Dick downstairs talking loudly about baseball to her father.

"There!" said Marcia Ferguson. "And you don't need lipstick."

"Mum!"

"Oh, all right!" said her mother.

Ronnie was staring—with no self-consciousness—into the mirror. She was thrilled, and at the same time a bit astounded, by her own loveliness. "Darned if I don't have glamour—almost!"

"I beg your pardon, dear?"

"Nothing, Mum. I guess I'm about ready."

Marcia Ferguson bit her lip.

"Just about," she agreed cheerfully.

Both Dick and her father stared at her. That was satisfying. She had brushed her soft, fair hair until it shone with lights of gold and that same gold was repeated in the metallic girdle about the waist of a sheer apple-green dress. Dick's gardenias were pinned to one shoulder as expertly as if Ronnie had been wearing gardenias for years.

Ronnie lifted her lashes shyly and looked at Dick.

"Okay!" she said. "I guess we better be pushing along!"

There was a three-mile drive to the country club as a pleasant preliminary to the evening. Dick and Ronnie rode through the wide, tree-shaded avenues, the sweet fragrance of the neighbors' flower beds mingling with the acrid scent of wood smoke, every commonplace landmark made lovely and rather mysterious in the light of a Midsummer moon.

The two young people were unwontedly silent for several minutes. Dick was a little strange to her, in his new and immaculate white flannels. He was, moreover, scrubbed so clean that his ears were still rather red. She stole an almost frightened glance at his dark hair, slicked back and shining, at his brown eyes with their thick, dark, upcurling lashes; at his easy, flashing smile. . . . Ronnie sighed, some deep instinct warning her to make the most of this ecstatic moment. This would never come again—this drive to her first formal, with Dick's gardenias pinned to her dress.

"You look swell," he said, suddenly and gruffly.

"I don't know," said Ronnie. "I don't know why I bought this awful bid dress!"

"I think it's swell."

"They're going to have an awful old orchestra," she said in a bored voice.

"Oh, sure. Awful."

There was another long silence.

"My mother was in the most terrible dither," Ronnie said suddenly, still in that bored voice. "The most terrible dither you can think of. Simply because the Carrolls are back in town. You know—the big shots?"

"Oh, yeah," said Dick vaguely. "Weren't they in England or some fool place?"

Ronnie laughed.

"Lucille's coming to the Romp," she explained. "She's coming with her father. Can you imagine that?"

"Gosh! No!"

RONNIE laughed again. "I didn't believe it either. I simpully didn't believe it. But, Dick, you've got to dance with her and everything."

"Why? Why do I?"

"Oh, don't be awful about it! It wouldn't hurt you, would it?"

"Sure it would. I'm no Boy Scout."

"Well, you ought to be," said Ronnie, immensely gratified. "Because a girl feels awful when she isn't popular or anything——"

"How do you know?"

"What on earth do you mean, how do I know?"

"Well, how do you know how a girl feels when she isn't popular? I mean you wouldn't know."

He spoke jeeringly, a bit embarrassed by this Chesterfieldian effort.

Ronnie laughed.

"Crazy!" she said.

Bud Keaton's Rhythm Boys were about to begin their second number when Dick and Ronnie arrived at the Fairside Club, fashionably late. Their arrival was important because Dick and Ronnie were, without question, the leaders of their own small world.

Ronnie, of course, had to waste a good many precious minutes in the powder room. That was the thing to do. The young girls were fluttering like birds before the mirror, exclaiming in rapture over one another's raiment.

Dick was waiting for her. On demand, she and Dick trucked on into the centre of the circle. Then, grave as bishops, they wagged a finger in the air and went on trucking to the tom-tom beat of Bud Keaton's drum. Ronnie's evening had begun. . . .

She was, as it happened, dancing with Dick when Lucille Carroll arrived with her father.

"Well!" Dick said incredulously. "Is she the one you were talking about?"

Ronnie looked over his shoulder, seeking her own mental image of Lucille Carroll, the image of a large, rather lumpish girl.

The newcomer was a slender young girl who wore her dark hair in a sleek, shining cap. Her blue lace dress was simple, but in a way that accorded with the precocious simplicity of her manner. At this moment she was still standing by the door with her father, looking over the room in the manner of a cosmopolitan lady amused by the antics of yokels.

"She has something," admitted Ronnie in a small voice. "She certainly has!"

Now Mrs. Elwyn Deacon had hurried forward to greet Michael Carrol and to introduce Michael Carroll's daughter to a few of her contemporaries on the floor.

Lucille was obviously not much interested in any of the girls—although her eyes lingered enigmatically on Ronnie for a moment or two. She murmured the boys' names, however, with a little more warmth, and her smile for Dick Hendricks was very special and flattering. Ronnie overheard a scrap of their conversation.

"Haven't I seen you somewhere?" Lucille asked softly. "It seems to me——"

"No, I don't think so," Dick said hurriedly. "Matter of fact, I don't get out of this old town—much."

"Funny," said Lucille, with a slight shrug. "But I met so many people when we were in New York—men from Princeton and New Haven, you know. That's it, I imagine—you know you look terribly like a Princeton man!"

Dick reddened.

"Well, I've thought of Princeton a coupla times," he said.

"Oh, I could have sworn it!" cried Lucille.

THIS was very strange, thought Ronnie, biting her lip. Actually, Dick Hendricks had never mentioned Princeton—to Ronnie's knowledge. . . .

Slim Davies, a solemn, spectacled boy—very good at mathematics—took Ronnie Ferguson into his arms and guided her through a rumba with more earnestness than grace. But Keaton's Rhythm Boys were giving of their best. Lucille Carroll, dancing with Dick Hendricks, was smiling mysteriously into his eyes. Dick, Ronnie noticed, had assumed a slightly knowing, sophisticated expression, an expression he probably thought suitable to a Princeton man.

After that, the evening belonged to Lucille. She told the orchestra what to play, and she introduced new ideas about the shag. She was a success—there wasn't any doubt about it, she was the big success of the party. That was only natural, Ronnie told herself. Everybody was always interested in a stranger. . . .

"I hope you're going to like it here," she said rather shyly.

They were in the powder room. Lucille glanced at Ronnie by way of the mirror.

"I think it will be amusing," she said composedly.

Ronnie turned over the word. She didn't know, exactly, what it meant.

"That Dick Hendricks—" said Lucille, moistening a finger tip and smoothing down an eyebrow. "He's rather good-looking. He's really too good-looking for a small town like this!"

Later—lying awake that night—Ronnie thought of all the clever things she could have said to this. At the moment she was bereft of speech.

"Goodness!" Lucille went on lightly. "I promised Dick this next dance! He'll be furious!"

When Ronnie came out of the powder room, Mrs. Deacon was tapping the orchestra leader on the shoulder, telling him to play the last dance.

"And it's mine," said Dick.

He led Ronnie smoothly around the floor—and a little of the weight was lifted from Ronnie's heart. But shortly she was aware of Lucille, smiling at Dick over somebody else's shoulder.

Ronnie was glad, really glad, when the Romp was over—and she was in Dick's car, headed toward home. But for the first time in her life she had to deal with a certain masculine obtuseness. Dick Hendricks, in his blindness, hadn't the faintest idea there was anything wrong.

They were at Ronnie's door—and they had talked about Lucille Carroll all the way

RONNIE Ferguson, one week later, was sitting in the chintz-covered chair by the front window, her glance veering constantly from the book in her hands to the deserted lawn. So far, nobody had cut across the lawn to whistle or shout for Ronnie. It was unprecedented. The Sunday afternoon stretched dreary as a desert all around her.

"I'm reading the most fascinating book," she explained.

"I suppose Dick will be over," her father said cautiously

Ronnie examined her own coral-pink fingernails with a faint, amused smile.

"Oh, I don't know," she said. "He's prob'ly over at the Carrolls'. The Carrolls had their old tennis court rolled—and everybody's got this simpully mad passion for tennis all of a sudden."

Her father's eyes were very gentle.

"It's much too hot," he said.

Ronnie's world, in its own cruel and youthful fashion, had betrayed her. There was nothing dramatic about it. Overnight the court was deserted—the courtiers had fled. Lucille Carroll, in the big house on the hill, was the reigning queen.

Not even Ginger Matthews was loyal.

"Oh, my dear, you can't buy a bolero!" Ginger had screamed. "Lucille says nobody is wearing boleros any more!"

"I am," Ronnie had assured her coldly.

Ginger didn't matter so much. Dick, really, was the only one who mattered. But even Dick was spending most of his time on the Carrolls' tennis court.

The doorbell rang in the frenzied way that indicated somebody under twenty was at the threshold. Ronnie leaped to her feet and then, controlling herself, moved languidly to the door.

It was Dick. John Ferguson winced and then grinned as the screen door banked behind Ronnie.

"Hello, Ronnie."

"Hello, Dick."

"It sure is hot, isn't it?"

"My, yes." Ronnie sat on the front porch step and leaned against a pillar. "My goodness, I've had a million baths today—I just haven't wanted to do anything!"

"I guess you're smart at that. I've been playing tennis." Dick crooked his arm around the opposite pillar and swung himself about, not looking at Ronnie. "The whole gang's been over at the Carrolls', taking turns on the court. You'd have laughed. Imagine Ginger and old Slim playing me and Lucille!"

"Goodness!" Ronnie said hastily. "I think it's wonderful you all have so much energy. I'd die."

Conversation lagged. Ronnie knew intuitively that there was something wrong—something very, very wrong—but she didn't know what it was, and she didn't know how to guard herself against it. Dick was looking so embarrassed, so guilty.

"I guess," he said at last, choosing his words with elaborate care, "the Westons are getting all set for their party Thursday night."

Ronnie nodded, lending to her smile just the proper shade of derision. Next to the Romp, the Westons' birthday party—given every year for their daughter Kathleen—was the great event of the season.

"They've asked Lucille, of course," Dick said abruptly.

"Why—why, yes, of course."

"I—I guess I'm taking her myself, as a matter of fact."

RONNIE let the words sink down into her mind. They hadn't made sense, just at first.

"First thing you knew, we had it all fixed up," he went on rather hurriedly. "Not that it amounts to much—the party, I mean."

Ronnie lowered her fair head so that he might not see the painful hot tide of color in her face.

"Oh, the Westons' parties are ghastly!" she agreed, in a light, brave voice. "Simpully ghastly!"

She repeated this statement to her parents, over the dinner table.

"I don't think," she concluded, "I'll even go to their old party. It's such kid stuff anyhow—birthdays!"

Marcia Ferguson stared at her daughter.

"Since when," she demanded, "have you been superior to birthdays?"

Ronnie laughed lightly.

"Oh, well," she said, "it's not only that. It's the whole setup. Honestly, I'm so sick of this whole town I could just die. I'd like to go a million miles away somewhere. I mean I get so bored with everybody!"

John Ferguson and his wife exchanged a swift glance. Nobody said anything. Ronnie, in spite of having professed an enormous appetite, couldn't eat a second piece of lemon pie. Her throat ached. But there was one consolation, she thought: her family couldn't have the least idea there was anything wrong.

The next two days were endless. Twice Ronnie went to the movies by herself. She even went to the public library and took out half a dozen books. Then, on Thursday, Ginger Matthews came over and broke the news:

The Carrolls were leaving—for the East—that very afternoon.

"Mrs. Carroll got her hay fever back. Besides, she said she was bored to death in this town. Can you imagine that, my dear?"

But Ronnie ignored the olive branch that Ginger was waving.

"You're so crazy about Lucille," she said coldly. "I guess you'll miss her."

Ginger blushed.

"Well," she said, struggling feebly for words, "you know how it is. New people are always kind of interesting—in a way."

Ronnie drew a deep breath. She realized vaguely that she was having her first practical lesson in the working of the mob mind. At that very moment she saw Slim Davies and Kathleen Weston coming down the street. The rest of the gang would be here soon.

"Lot of sheep," she muttered.

"What did you say, Ronnie?" Ginger asked anxiously.

"Nothing." Ronnie looked at Ginger out of the corner of her eye. "I forgot to tell you—I bought that bolero outfit."

"Oh, did you?" said Ginger respectfully. "I'll bet it's divine!"

"You're darn' right it is," said Ronnie.

Dick came over early that evening and asked Ronnie to go to Kathleen Weston's party with him. Ronnie stared at him incredulously.

"Well!" she said at last. "You must have a pretty peculiar opinion of me!"

"Oh! You mean on account of—of Lucille?"

Ronnie nodded.

"It's not," she explained quickly, "that it mattered to me that Lucille was your date for the party. Because it certainly didn't! It didn't matter in the least. But—but for you to ask me simply because Lucille has gone away——"

SHE choked, misery and loneliness and pride getting in the way of further speech. But a moment later she managed a laugh—a very light and scornful laugh—before she turned on her heel and fled up the stairs.

Ronnie closed her bedroom door and hurled herself on the bed. Everything had been so wonderful—and he'd spoiled everything. All their plans for going to State together — all the other plans, scarcely put into words—oh, he'd spoiled everything!

He had not left the house immediately. Her father had come in, and he and Dick were talking. She hoped her father would have sense to say what he ought to say. Anxiously Ronnie framed the words for him: "Oh, Ronnie's turned down half a dozen dates for that party tonight. I guess she just can't be bothered, that's all. She says she's bored with everybody she knows in this town——" But it was too much to hope that her father would have that much sense. Half fearfully, Ronnie opened her bedroom door.

"Well, it's this way, sir," Dick was saying, loudly and desperately. "I didn't even like Lucille very much!"

"Didn't you?"

"No. I mean—you know how you can kind of get onto a line?"

"I do, indeed."

"Well, that was that. But then Ronnie had told me I had to go over there. And then, after I did go over there, Ronnie got so high-hat. But when I asked her if she didn't want me to play tennis on the Carrolls' court any more, she got more high-hat than ever. She kept telling me it didn't make any difference to her what I did, one way or the other. Can you understand that, Mr. Ferguson?"

"A man never understands these things, son. He just accepts them."

"Well, I guess so." Dick lifted his voice aggrievedly. "But you can't call it reasonable! And then this business about the party—I couldn't tell Ronnie that Lucille had practically asked me to take her, could I? I mean, what kind of a sap would that make me out to be? Because, look, I don't know how it happened exactly. Lucille and I were just talking along about this and that and the other thing—and the Westons' party came up in the conversation somehow or other and Lucille said she'd been asked, but she didn't see how she could go all by herself. I started to say I was asking Ronnie, o' course, but the first thing you know I was all twisted up and Lucille was saying she hadn't meant to hint or anything—I don't know, she kind of asked me without coming right out and asking me. But I don't suppose that makes much sense to you, Mr. Ferguson."

"Oh, yes," said Ronnie's father. "I've known a lot of women, Dick."

"Yes, but—I couldn't explain that to Ronnie, could I? Doggone it! You'd think that Ronnie could see how it was!"

"Sometimes they see," said Ronnie's father, oracularly. "And sometimes they don't see."

He paused. Ronnie, sliding her hand along the banister rail, was coming very slowly down the stairs.

RONNIE'S father went out of the room, smiling to himself. The two young people, both very red, confronted each other.

"I—I heard the last part of that," said Ronnie at last.

"As a matter of fact," he muttered, "I was saying it kind of loud."

"On purpose?"

"Yes. You see I kind of wanted you to know I wasn't so crazy about Lucille."

Ronnie looked at him for an instant.

"Maybe I believe you," she said with dignity. "Maybe I don't."

"Listen," he said hoarsely. "You've got to believe me! You've got to! You've got to let me take you to the Westons' tonight! Because I—because you and I——"

He broke off, helpless again. They were both young enough to be afraid of words. But as they looked at each other, there was a promise between them, rapt and inarticulate. Suddenly he put gentle hands on her arms and kissed her. It was not like a kiss in any of the thousands of moving pictures they had seen. It was shy, inexpert, brief. It was only the instant's touch of his lips and his smooth, warm cheek. But she would remember this instant all her life long.

"Oh!" she said breathlessly. "I—I've got to dress now for that ghastly old party! I'll be ready about 8."

He was tremendously stirred and embarrassed. But he, too, was trying to be smooth about the matter.

"Okey-doke!" he said.

He sauntered out of the house, and the screen door banged loudly behind him.

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Old Hotels and New

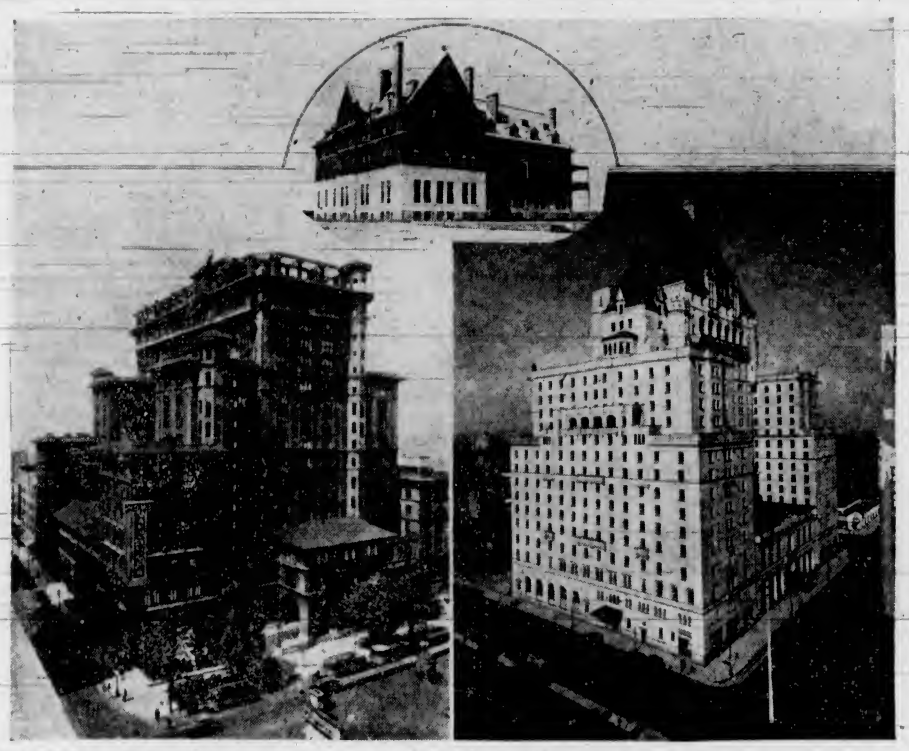
IN a few months workmen will be taking down the crystal chandeliers which created such a stir twenty-six years ago, removing the high-backed overstuffed chairs and sofas, and dismantling those big guest rooms that reflect the expansive era in which the Hotel Vancouver was brought to its present size of 525 rooms.

This Vancouver institution, which has witnessed five decades in the city's growth to the proportions of Canada's third city and principal Pacific seaport, is passing from the scene to make room for a new and greater Hotel Vancouver.

The new hotel, a massive stone structure of 1,000 rooms and built at a cost of $12,000,000, stands a block west of the old hotel on Georgia Street. It is the latest, the biggest and the best hotel on the Pacific Coast, doubtless one of the finest in the world.

It was built by the Canadian National Railways at the height of the boom, and has been completed in slow stages during the past seven years.

The sentimental attachments clinging to the name Hotel Vancouver decided the Canadian National people that this was the title Vancouver folks wanted to perpetuate, and so it's "Hotel Vancouver Is Dead. Long Live Hotel Vancouver," just as the English have been shouting for centuries, "The King Is Dead. Long Live the King!"



At top centre: The original Hotel Vancouver, built in 1887 by the Canadian Pacific Railway, and in 1905 superseded by a brick building. The present Hotel Vancouver, on the left, was constructed on the site in 1912. On the right is the new hotel, with its 1,000 rooms, built at a cost of $12,000,000, and which will be opened on May 25.

Opening May 25

WORD comes now that the new Hotel Vancouver will be opened to the public on May 25. A new company, the Hotel Vancouver Company, Limited, has been announced from Montreal. It includes as president, S. J. Hungerford, president of the Canadian National Railways; as vice-president, Sir Edward Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, on the board of directors, with J. Van Wyck, general manager of Canadian National Hotels, and H. F. Mathews, general manager of Canadian Pacific Hotels, as an operating committee.

W. J. Mylett, for the past two years manager of the present hotel, will be manager of the New Hotel Vancouver, and he has been a busy man these days making preparations regarding staff and other details for the formal opening.

Mr. Mylett is a veteran of thirty years with the Canadian Pacific hotels and steamships. He joined as an assistant steward at the famous Chateau Frontenac in Quebec, came west to Victoria, where he was assistant manager of the Empress Hotel, later assistant manager at Hotel Vancouver and the Royal Alexandra Hotel in Winnipeg. He left the hotel system in the 20's, however, to become catering superintendent for the Canadian Pacific's Empress liners out of Vancouver. He returned to the hotels as traveling inspector in 1931, went to the Palliser Hotel in Calgary as manager in 1936, and returned to manage Hotel Vancouver on January 1, 1937.

He brings a wealth of experience to his new job as well as a distinguished record as hotel man and master caterer.

Original Building

RICH in history, the original Hotel Vancouver was constructed in 1887, less than a year after the disastrous fire which consumed the infant city on Burrard Inlet on June 13, 1886.

It was a frame building, but substantial and luxurious for its day. It was built by the Canadian Pacific Railway, which two years previously had completed its railway line from Atlantic to Pacific, across the plains and the mountains, to provide an adequate standard of service for its patrons.

The old building naturally was soon superseded, in 1905, by a brick building, which in 1912 in turn gave way to the hotel building as it now stands.

The present building, fourteen stories high, with a notable roof garden overlooking the city and harbor, was built in an era of lavishness which is amply reflected in the magnificent public rooms and in the unusually large guest rooms.

The old hotel has outlived the war, several Canadian Governments, as many United States administrations and fourteen managers. It has seen the advent of four Canadian Pacific presidents—Lord Mount Stephen, Sir William Van Horne, Lord Shaughnessy and Sir Edward Beatty, who recently rounded out two decades at the head of the now world-wide transportation company.

It has seen Vancouver rise from its ashes to a pre-eminent place among world ports, while enhancing its position in the affections of the public.

In Peacock Alley, the Italian room, the lavish Crystal Ballroom, the Spanish Grill, the Oak Room, the Oval Room and the spacious front lobbies, Vancouver people of three generations have rubbed elbows with the great, the picturesque, the powerful personages of many lands who stopped from time to time there.

Noted Among Guests

THE late Austen Chamberlain knew the hotel. So did Ramsay MacDonald, Earl Baldwin and the late President Harding. There stayed the Duke of Windsor on his goodwill travels through the Empire as the smiling, affable Prince of Wales. And his brothers, the Duke of Gloucester and the Duke of Kent, and his other relative, the late Queen Marie of Rumania. And Prince Chichibu of Japan, and former King Prajahipok of Siam.

The big tile bathrooms echo anon to the mighty voice of Caruso lifted in practice trills, and Galli Curci, Rosa Ponselle, Nelson Eddy, Richard Crooks and Lawrence Tibbett likewise found the spacious rooms respectable sounding boards for their tune-ups.

John Jacob Astor, Jay Gould, James Farrell and other financial giants held weighty conferences in private rooms.

New York brokers like Ben Smith, and his associate Gene Tunney, rushed there from the train sheds and airports for sessions with prospectors who brought in samples of gold taken from Northern British Columbia creeks and quartz workings.

World of Sportsmen

HARDLY a day passed that the lobby failed to hum with the excited voices of autograph seekers and hero worshippers hot on the trail of Babe Ruth, Gene Tunney, Jack Dempsey, Tommy Burns, Jim Braddock or Vancouver's own Jimmy McLarnin. Or else they chased after Connie Mack, Lefty Gomez, Bill Tilden, Eddie Rickenbacker, Vinnie Vines, Fred Perry, "Strangler" Lewis, "Jeem" Londos, and went wild when Toronto Maple Leafs or Detroit Red Wings of the National Hockey League brought West such favorites as Herbie Lewis, King Clancy, Lionel and Charlie Conacher, Ebbie Goodfellow, Harvey Jackson and "Bucko" McDonald.

It seems only yesterday that Will Rogers walked into a private dining-room off the ballroom to enthrall a couple of hundred newspapermen and their friends with some inimitable Rogers quips. And Floyd Gibbons looked on as chief kibitzer. Next day both sailed for China in the Empress of Russia to look over the Shanghai battlefront. That was in '32.

The switchboard girls and front office clerks used to be kept busy too when movieland personages dropped in for a visit or a personal appearance tour. Helen Hayes, Clark Gable, Bette Davis, Barbara Stanwyck, Olivia de Havilland, Richard Barthelmess, Robert Taylor, Joe E. Brown, Guy Kibbee and Ned Sparks, an unusual team. Jack Benny and Mary Livingstone—the latter to look over her old home town—these are a few.

On they came in the passing parade—Aimee Semple McPherson, Billy Sunday, Irvin S. Cobb, Rex Beach, Pearl Buck, William Green and John L. Lewis, arm in arm in the old gay days; Sidney Smith, who drew "Andy Gump" on cigar box covers for the more persistent autograph hounds; Don Bradman, the Babe Ruth of cricket; John Barrymore, dropping in from his yacht Infanta for a room and a few meals while he outfitted for a fishing cruise to Alaska.

Valuating Guests

"GOOD tippers" or "small tippers," as the waiters classified them; copy for the news writers, interest for the public who always find a big hotel lobby their happy hunting ground.

And now they are getting ready to take up the carpets, dismantle the rooms, take out the furniture and lay it away in shrouds.

Soon the ghosts of the past will be stalking the corridors which once rang with the merriment of celebrant guests and where once stalked the house officer on his interminable rounds.

Soon the shades of bygone managers, assistant managers, head waiters, waiters, front office clerks, cashiers, accountants, bus boys, porters, chambermaids, electricians, carpenters, engineers, upholsterers and chefs may be playing tag through the halls with the ghosts of former premiers, heavyweight champions, matinee idols and movie stars, opera singers, financiers, evangelists and commercial travelers.

To Vancouver, however, the approaching demise of the old institution has its sharply poignant side, for here is a place so inextricably bound up in the fortunes, the hopes, the aspirations and the memories of the citizens that no new hotel, however fine, will be able to replace it.

Here for fifty years Vancouver has wined and dined itself and its distinguished visitors. Here have been weddings and wedding receptions. Here the Mayor and his fellow citizens welcomed back in 1918 those lads who donned khaki in 1914, 1915 and 1916. Here, in the Crystal Ballroom, shouted the political candidates who gathered there again on election night to hear the echoes of their platform promises drowned in the victor's tumultuous celebration.

Rotary, Kiwanis, Gyro, all had their Vancouver birth in this hotel, and the Canadian Club and the Board of Trade held regular luncheons to debate the present problems and future hopes of their young but vigorous city.

Meanwhile, outwardly unperturbed, Manager W. J. Mylett and his staff go about their business, while a group of directors 3,000 miles away in Montreal ponders the future of the fifty-one-year-old institution. Whatever its fate—department store, apartment hotel, any one of the other expedients that have been suggested—one thing remains clear, it is finished as a hotel property.

Dispatchers and Weathermen

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tion and, therefore, must be in a position to utilize and apply their own practical aeronautical meteorology knowledge. Fine co-operation exists between the two groups.

Our flying and dispatching personnel at frequent intervals visits the meteorological offices for discussions covering current and future weather situations. We have found that the meteorological department is earnestly endeavoring to introduce new methods as fast as they become practical, and definite advancements are taking place continuously. However, our personnel has been educated to receive all information, regardless of source, with an attitude of healthy skepticism, with the thought that only through the maintenance of an analytical and critical spirit can full advantage be derived.

The dispatching practices followed by TCA are premised upon the knowledge that a decision (flight determination) arrived at through proper co-ordination of the opinions held by all personnel concerned will be more nearly correct than an arbitrary decision reached through the reasoning of one individual. In line with established practice, the decisions to authorize or not to authorize clearance to planes are determined only after considering the analyses by:

1.—Dispatcher at the original terminal.
2.—Pilot. (A pilot cannot be ordered to fly against his better judgment.)
3.—Dispatcher at the destination terminal.
4.—Other pilots en route at the time.
5.—Department of Transport Meteorological Office.

Proper Balance

THIS practice insures the maintenance of proper balance between the various personnel factors involved. There are three such factors to be considered in each instance, i.e., the pilot's flying angle, the opinion arrived at by the dispatcher. The dispatcher's long experience in responsible ground and flying positions and also being expert in practical aeronautical meteorology and air transport operation, places him in position to properly evaluate with the pilot the factors involved.

Each flight is, therefore, a carefully planned undertaking with dispatchers, pilots, and others participating in the planning. All meteorological and operating information is carefully analyzed and evaluated. The dispatcher and the pilot at the originating terminal formulate a detailed trip forecast and flight plan based on conclusions reached following study of all available information pertinent to the flight project at hand. The trip forecast and flight plan include:

1.—Forecast covering weather conditions expected along the route to be flown.
2.—Manner in which trip will be flown, i.e., "on top," "on instruments," "between layers," or "contact."
3.—Altitude at which trip will be flown.
4.—Estimated wind direction and velocity at the cruising level.
5.—Flight time estimates between specific check points along the route.
6.—Forecast covering smoothness of the air.
7.—Designation of specific alternate airport, within range of the plane, the weather at which is definitely determined to be such that landing can be accomplished there in the event weather at the destination terminal should deteriorate below safe operating limits.
8.—Detailed outline covering status of airway navigational aids.

Standard Practice

WHEN uncertain weather situations are extant, it is standard practice also to formulate in each instance an alternate flight plan, based on a weather interpretation which will permit adherence to the alternate plan in the event that weather conditions along the route fail to develop along lines anticipated in the primary flight plan prepared at time of dispatch from the originating terminal. The alternate plan is in each instance designed to serve as a practical substitute to the original plan, should changing conditions make the first plan impractical.

After the trip forecast and flight plans have been completed and mutually agreed to by dispatcher, pilot and co-pilot, the details are immediately transmitted by radio to the destination terminal station at which point a dispatcher has also been studying and planning for the trip in question. Upon receipt of the forecast and plan data, he immediately compares it with his own determinations and, if not in agreement with the forecast and or plan submitted, he offers his recommendations for changes with reasons to support them so that personnel at the original terminal may have full benefit of his determinations. The trip is dispatched only after complete agreement is reached between all flying and dispatching personnel concerned.

Experience Teaches

WE recognize experience as being our best teacher. To take the fullest possible advantage of our past experience we conduct periodic meetings at terminal stations. The meetings are attended by flying, dispatching and meteorological personnel. At each meeting there is brought up for discussion the detailed analyses of all weather situations which developed during the preceding period which were peculiar to the division involved or which contributed to any irregularity in operation. Meteorological educational material is also issued to all personnel concerned at regular intervals, and such material is available for review at the meetings. Meteorological study and investigation is being continually pursued by the meteorological personnel pertaining to weather situations peculiar to the respective dispatch divisions. By specializing our personnel with respect to weather and operating conditions within their respective dispatch divisions and providing a convenient means of communication between dispatch offices, dispatchers will develop improvement in their ability to interpret the weather accurately and intelligently and apply their knowledge to operations.

Growth of Service

DURING the past twelve months, the Trans-Canada Air Lines has grown steadily and surely. With the fleet of planes assembled and thoroughly tested under Canadian conditions, the staff trained, the ground facilities gradually taking shape over the transcontinental route, we are flying on daily schedules between Montreal and Vancouver, between Lethbridge and Edmonton and between Vancouver and Seattle. The last-mentioned service, which has been in operation for more than a year, connects the two cities by two flights daily and carries passengers as well as mails. Postal matter is being transported by night between Winnipeg and the Coast and by day between Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto and Winnipeg. Our personnel is becoming more and more familiar with the Eastern section of this route. We are making a painstaking study of terrain and weather conditions, and such details as landing fields and lighting are being carefully developed by the Department of Transport, with a view to night schedules between Montreal and Winnipeg. Air express is carried from Montreal to Vancouver, between Lethbridge and Edmonton and, by arrangement with the Prairie Airways, from Regina to Saskatoon, Prince Albert and North Battleford.

Between April, 1937, when the company was incorporated, and the end of the year, Trans-Canada activities consisted largely of organization. In September, 1937, we acquired the Canadian Airways, Limited, service between Vancouver and Seattle, and in that month we began our first commercial operations, with two Electras. In the following month we took delivery of three new Electras, ordered in April. Orders for four Super Electras were placed with the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation at the same time and in December six more were ordered.

Contracts for construction of a hangar and office building at Winnipeg and for a hangar at Lethbridge were awarded in November.

By that time, pilot training was in full swing. Chosen for ability, experience and character from a large field of applicants, the men were put through a rigorous course in six stages and very few failed to measure up to the standards demanded of them. This is a tribute, I think, to our Canadian airmen.

At the end of the year 1937, there were sixteen pilots, three in the Vancouver-Seattle service, two assisting with instruction, four in advanced training and seven in training. The maintenance and repair staff, divided between Winnipeg, Regina, Lethbridge, Vancouver and Seattle, consisted of twenty-two men, and there were fourteen in the communications and dispatch department. The total number of employees at the end of 1937 was seventy-one.

In December, 1937, a daily (except Sunday) training schedule was flown between Winnipeg and Lethbridge. In January of last year, advanced pilots began flying from Vancouver across the Rockies to Lethbridge.

The Department of Transport installed a twenty-four-hour meteorological service at Winnipeg, Regina, Lethbridge and Vancouver, and a sixteen-hour service at intermediate points, in February. We were enabled to undertake some night flying and in March we began carrying mails between Winnipeg and Vancouver. While the movement was on regular schedule, it was by daylight and in good weather only and the postal matter was picked at random from the ordinary mails. In March, we flew 38,484 miles on the route between Winnipeg and Vancouver. The following month, the flying mileage was increased to 82,176. Occasional night flights were made between Winnipeg and Regina.

The first two of the Super Electras or "Fourteens" were received in May, and by September we were in possession of the complete complement of ten.

Preliminary surveys had been made of the route across Northern Ontario in February and by late Summer we were making daily familiarization flights over this section.

The Trans-Canada hangar at Winnipeg was occupied in August and the Lethbridge building completed.

Express Added

SEPTEMBER, 1938, was an important month in the history of Canadian transportation. Taking advantage of the coming of the T.C.A., the Canadian National Express began sending shipments by air between Winnipeg, Regina and Vancouver, on the 19th. This service was extended to the branch between Lethbridge and Edmonton in October and, on the 17th of that month, east to Toronto, Ottawa and Montreal. Arrangements were made for traffic by rail to and from points not on the air line for combined air and rail shipment.

Regular overnight air mail schedules went into effect between Winnipeg and Vancouver on October 1. The experimental mail service between Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto and Winnipeg was begun on December 1.

A year ago, the total staff consisted of seventy-one officers and employees. Today the number is 330, including thirty-seven pilots (eighteen captains and nineteen first officers); three stewardesses; 178 men are employed in the engineering and maintenance department; sixty-five in communications and dispatch, and officers, members of the traffic department, the stores and the clerical staffs account for forty-seven.

Including the branch from Vancouver to Seattle (122 miles) and that from Lethbridge to Calgary and Edmonton (288 miles), the total distance covered by the Trans-Canada Air Lines is 3,528 miles.

Up to the end of December last, we had flown nearly two million miles.

The inauguration of complete passenger, mail and express service between Montreal and Vancouver will take place early this year. Later, as the ground facilities are prepared, the Montreal-Moncton section will be included.

In the period under review, work has been proceeding on many fronts. The Department of Transport has been busy perfecting the airway, installing radio ranges, extending the weather service, improving the flying fields. Municipalities have been developing their airports. The work is still going on, and there is much to be done on the ground before complete passenger and mail service across Canada can be put into effect.

It is with profound regret that I record the accident which occurred near Regina in November, when a plane was destroyed and two pilots killed. Official inquiry was made into the circumstances by a board appointed by the Minister of Transport, and the findings have been made public. While it does not diminish the seriousness of the happening, I think it might be borne in mind that it was the first major accident in nearly two million miles of flying, during a period of intensive training and of experimental work over a new airway with new equipment.

The T.C.A. planes are equipped with the latest instruments and other devices for the elimination of hazard, the pilots are well chosen and scrupulously trained in the handling of the equipment, and before the take-off every flight is scientifically planned.

I need hardly say that the first word in the policy of the Trans-Canada Air Lines is safety. Our Lockheed Super Electras are fast enough to give transcontinental service as rapid as that of any other air line. But before speed and regularity of schedules comes the comfort of passengers, and before that their safety. All our efforts are bent toward this end. Notwithstanding the encouraging eagerness of the Canadian people to see their new transportation system in full operation as quickly as possible, we could not feel justified in beginning until we were ready, until every cog in the machine was perfectly adjusted.

Nazis Changing Berlin

IT is clear from the Architectural Exhibition at Munich that the Nazis intend to leave their stamp on Berlin. Large-scale plastic models show the many grandiose buildings to be erected in the capital during the next few years.

The skyscraper style, however, has been dropped, and most of the new plans cater for five stories at most, with severe frontage, classical facades and a "boxy" appearance. Changes will be made at the expense of mediocre buildings, leaving the best of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. The Reich Chancellery on the Wilhelmstrasse, to extend the whole street length, will be the largest Chancellery in the world, Herr Hitler's own workroom, which he has planned with Professor Speer, measuring eighty-one feet by forty-four feet and being thirty feet high.

To rival the Place de la Concorde of Paris, Berlin is to have its "Round Place," with a 600-foot diameter, surrounded by six edifices of imposing character: the House of German Travel, the Allianee Insurance Company, an U.F.A. cinema, the Thuringia House, the German Artists' Club and the Army Casino. Four fountains with groups of sculpture will be in the centre.

EDINBURGH.—Freedom of this Scottish capital has been voted to Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain. Lloyd George was similarly honored in 1918, Ramsay MacDonald in 1925 and Stanley Baldwin in 1926.

More Beauties of the Sea

By Robert Connell

I HAVE no doubt the day will come when something of the interest we now see being increasingly given to the hidden beauties of the pebbles of the shore will be shared with the sea shells. While the pebble freshly wet with the retreating wave attracts us with its color, it requires the work of the cutter and polisher to give the color permanency, and in the process beautiful and curious patterns are often revealed. In the shell it is primarily the natural form that attracts us to see its color and lustre. It is not infrequently necessary to remove the encrustations made by other animals or by lime-secreting plants. The delicate hue is also sometimes largely if not wholly concealed by the protecting skin formed by the occupant itself and is unsuspected by the casual observer. One thing I feel sure of: a collection of our Vancouver Island shells would be one of the most interesting and suggestive souvenirs of our Pacific waters for a returning visitor to take with him to his inland home. He might not be able to hear in its convolutions the voice of the ocean's many waters as in Wordsworth's lines:

I have seen
A curious child, who dwelt upon a tract
Of inland ground, applying to his ear
The convolutions of a smooth-lipped shell;
To which, in silence hushed, his very soul
Listened intently, and his countenance soon
Brightened with joy; for from within were heard
Murmurings, whereby the monitor expressed
Mysterious union with its native sea.

But the sight of these habitations of sea creatures, and especially if he had collected them himself, would bring back something of the impression the globe-encircling waves make on the least sensitive mind. Even when the shells have been gathered by other hands and from shores we have never seen, they have a wonderful power of suggestion; in their degree they are indeed "authentic tidings of invisible things."

Beautiful Top Shells

SOME of our loveliest shells in point of delicacy of color belong to the genus Calliostoma, a name meaning "beautiful mouth," and referring to the exquisite mother-of-pearl tints displayed within the broadly rounded lip. Our common local species has not to be sought far afield. It may be found in rock pools and flat-bottomed gullies of the rocks at low tide, or more plentifully still among the eel grass and seaweed at the lowest ebb, often associated with the still smaller dark littorinas, shore snails, or periwinkles, for in common with them it is a vegetarian. Both littorinas and calliostomas are gastropods, having round mouths without any canal at the base such as you see in the wrinkled purple and its relations, and this absence of a canal is generally one of the external marks of a plant-eating shell. The periwinkles, however, lack the pearly iridescence of the calliostomas. This common species is known as Calliostoma costatum, or the ribbed calliostoma, because its whorls are closely encircled by fine concentric ribs. The outer surface of a fresh shell is faintly red, but if there is a flaw the underlying pearliness is visible, as it is within the lip of the mouth. Old shells, often used by small hermit crabs, show the iridescence much more, and, of course, if a shell is suitably treated with acid the exquisite color extends over the whole. It is sometimes called the blue top shell, "blue" because a tint of that color sometimes appears to predominate among the pearly tints, though a bright green is common. There is another species of which I have not a specimen, unfortunately, but I have seen its shells in the possession of my friend, I. E. Cornwall, at William Head, where he collected them. It is an inhabitant of deeper waters than the ribbed calliostoma and his may have been washed up. Its name is Calliostoma annulata, or the ringed calliostoma, and the applicability of the name is evident at a single glance. I shall have to describe it from printed sources instead of from the shell itself, since, as I have said, I am without one. It is larger than its ribbed relative and has a similar light red or brown exterior, but this surface is highly ornamented in color. The boundary between the whorls is marked by a belt of magenta or violet or rich purple. The whorls themselves are encircled by low ridges dotted with little bead-like points. Both calliostomas have historic associations, since it was Captain Cook who first brought specimens of them to Europe, where they were described and named by Martin in 1784.



An Indian Decoration

THE two shells above are typical of a group familiarly known as "top shells" because of their shape, which is conical with a broad and rather flattish base. The group contains many beautiful shells, most of which are tropical or subtropical. In addition, however, to the two calliostomas, we have others well worth our consideration. One of these in particular is another of the shells with historical significance. If you go down into the section of the Provincial Museum containing the relics of our Indian tribes, you will, among other things of beauty and skill, find some ceremonial vessels carved out of wood and ornamented about the edge with inlaid oval pieces of what appear to be ivory. These decorations are the opercula or doors of a species of top shell, the means by which the occupant of the shell protects itself from intruders when it has withdrawn into the interior, the operculum being attached to the hind end of the "foot." The proprietor is known as Astrea inaequalis, or the red top shell, but the scientific name may be rendered "roughened astrea," a very suitable term and especially so for typical specimens, as we shall see. It is most abundant on our Island and particularly on the West Coast, and as it is a large shell—I have one two and three-quarters inches across at the base and two and a half high—it is easily seen. But it is not only as an empty shell in the shore waters of little coves on Quatsino Sound I have looked down at the living creatures moving about on the bottom a foot or two below the surface, and my specimens were thus obtained. The outside of these large gastroped shells is normally a reddish brown, but generally, or at least on mine, the outside is so covered with the limy secretions of algae and tubes of worms that little of the red is to be seen. One specimen in particular has on its upper whorls such a mass of twisted and contorted worm tubes that it recalls the famous statue of Laocoon and his sons in the fatal embrace of the serpents. I have one, however, rather smaller than the others, that is a good type because it bears the rhythmic inequalities properly characteristic of the species, but by no means always present. There are half a dozen whorls, at the base of each of which, but especially of the lower three, is a row of broadly triangular projections forming a toothed rim. Similar projections encircle the base of the other whorls. Above these rims are two comparatively small spiral lines, and these cut across strongly marked oblique ribs, some of which on the body whorl divide into two at the lower end. Underneath, the flattened surface bears a spiral ridge with six turns. The mouth next the lip is pearly iridescent, and there is a broad ivory white band about the umbilicus, closed with a toothed projection. When the surface of the shell is broken or removed, the interior is seen to be very decidedly silvery in its pearliness. The shell is a handsome one and its operculum is what the Indians deemed it to be, an object of beauty.

A Triton From Sooke

ALONG the rocky coast of Rocky Point and East Sooke the rambler will see in the Summer the bare headlands often whitened by fragments of shell, the remains of gull feasts. Examination reveals that they belong to a species not very familiar to us about Victoria, and the occasional almost perfect specimen will confirm this opinion. Occasionally he may be fortunate enough to pick up a perfect one, but when he does it will have probably its beauty concealed by the thick hairy skin in which it wraps itself. When this outer covering is removed the shell is found to be of a delicate snowy white like fine porcelain, and the inside often shows a beautiful tint of pink which I can only compare in its delicacy to the tint on the breast of a rosy gull. But not only is the color of great loveliness; the patterned surface has its attractiveness also. It is marked by what is called "cancellation," or a lattice pattern resulting from the regular crossing of a series of strong, rounded, vertical ribs by spiral, flat-topped ribs, which may be in pairs of equal size, or one larger and one small alternating, or at times a small pair between each pair of larger ones. One specimen has a pair of "master" ribs in the vertical series on the upper whorls, but not on the body one. The shell is called Argobuccinum oregonense, or the Oregon triton. At one time it was called Triton as its generic name, then Prione took its place; finally Argobuccium arrived. It's a pity, because either Triton or Prione is much more easily said. However, we have the well-established popular name to fall back on. The shell is found all round the North Pacific from Japan by way of Behring Sea down the coast to California.

Another cancellated shell is the checked hairy shell. This is a good rendering of its scientific name, Trichotropis cancellata, which means a cancellated or checkered shell with hair on the ridges. This small shell, about an inch long, is not specially beautiful; perhaps in no sense can the word be applied to it, but it is curious at least. Its half dozen whorls rise to a pointed apex, and all the whorls are marked by pronounced revolving ribs. These in turn are crossed by vertical ribs. The hair grows in small tufts symmetrically placed at points where the growth lines cross the spiral ridges. My specimens came from south of Nanaimo in the neighborhood of Dodds Narrows.

A shell both curious and handsome is all that we have left under modern naming of the old genus Purpura. It is by no means uncommon, and yet you may wander along the coast for a long time without coming across it. When you do you will probably find many close by. Purpura foliata, or the leafy purple, is also popularly known as the leafy hornmouth, because one of its conspicuous features is a sharp, hornlike process that projects from the mouth entrance near the bottom of the outer lip. The shell is remarkable in the first place for the three literally outstanding wings that run vertically from the apex downward. The widest of these in the specimens I have is three-eighths of an inch wide; the two older ones are proportionately narrower, the narrowest about a quarter. A series of spiral ridges run around the whorls and up the back of the wings, where they extend fan-wise. The front side of each wing shows the growth lines as a delicate frilling. There is not only a narrow, closed canal, but a second one a little way above it, marking the close of a former period of growth and now left behind in the march of time. The whiteness of the shell is broken by three bands of reddish brown.

Turbans in Black

OUR coast line from Albert Head west and northwest is a particularly happy hunting ground for shells, and with the facilities given by good roads and cars a run out to their beaches and rocks is quite easy. For the gastropode, the rocks and their crevices and hollows where the sea water is trapped between tides is a good place to search; better still if you take advantage of the low tides of Summer days, especially the zero and below zero ones, and tackle the zone of plants that is only then uncovered. That is the place to make discoveries, not, of course, of deep-water shells, although many of these come up to feed at or near the surface. In such places you may come across such top shells as the funereal or gloomy turban shell, Tegula funebralis, generally called the black turban. It is, as its name shows, a dark shell, a purplish black, but as it is generally more or less worn, the pearly tints that underlie its gloomy exterior show as bits of light. It is much the shape of a calliostoma, but is larger and heavier in build, quite suggestive of a turban indeed. Without the prominent ridges but with a similar mouth, the turban has two teeth at the base of the columella just where the lower part of the outer lip begins. The aperture is close. There is another shell of the same species you may come across on the northwest coast, Tegula pulligo, commonly known as the dusky turban. By the way, "tegula" means "a tile," and "tile" is old-fashioned slang for "top hat," and there seems to have been a facetiousness about the naming of this genus by Lesson in 1832 not always found in scientific quarters. The specific name "pulligo" means "dark," but the shells of this species are often a reddish yellow in light and dark bands or alternating with white bands and sometimes with dashes of purplish black. This is believed to be the result of the rough-and-tumble of the sea. The shells are strongly marked with growth lines and with oblique ribbing on the body whorl, the curves centring in the umbilicus on the under side. The umbilicus is wide open instead of closed, as in the black.

Ear Shells

BY far the most striking of our West Coast shells is the one we call the abalone, a Spanish name of unknown origin. The Japanese know it as "awabi," and in England it bears the suggestive name of "ormer," or "ear shell," or "sea ear." Our Vancouver Island species is Haliotis kamtschatkana, which sufficiently marks it as being another of the "round the North Pacific" shells, for such it is, occurring along the ocean shores from Japan to California. Our species is perhaps not so fine as the greatly exploited ones of California, the green, black and red abalones, but it is a very fine shell none the less. I first saw it at Alert Bay many years ago, where the Indian women were drying the animal on rocks for food, but I first procured the shells at Quatsino. I had gone ashore from the Maquinna, and round a little point not far from the wharf I came across a number of the shells where they had evidently been left by the Indians after removing the flesh. So I brought home with me a dozen or so. The abalone is a gastropod whose spire has become greatly flattened, sometimes to the point of almost entire disappearance. In diminishing its top it has enlarged its mouth and in habit has become one with those limpet-like creatures we saw a few weeks ago, some of which retained a trace of their spires and others had an opening for the passage of water from the gills. This is just what we find in the abalone. It clings to the rocks like a caluptrea or a limpet, and it disposes of the used water not by one hole, but by an ever-growing series, the earlier-formed of which are in turn closed up.

I stopped writing to polish up one or two of my native specimens, and after putting them beside specimens of red and black abalones from California I find myself still more favorably impressed with ours. The exquisite silvery pearliness is beyond description. In form ours is higher in the spire, with a deep groove between the holes and the edge. The shell is more boldly marked, and deeper. The holes appear as craters, both open and closed. On large specimens—my largest is five and three-quarters of an inch long—there are four rows of large tuebreules parallel to the lips. But what are all these details to the inner beauty? Again and again I look at the silver with its gleams of pink and green, and I say "At the heart of creation there is Beauty as well as Law."

Bill Smith Became Amor de Cosmos

By FRED WILLIAMS
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THE fact that it was eighty years yesterday since The British Colonist was first issued at Victoria, Vancouver Island, affords opportunity to deal with the career of its founder, Amor de Cosmos, one of the most remarkable men ever born in that province of notable men, Nova Scotia. The editor and publisher was "Lover of the World" solely by grace of a special bill which he persuaded the Legislature of California to pass, perhaps because there were too many "Bill Smiths," or, perhaps, for other reasons. He was actually by baptism William Alexander Smith, the son of James and Charlotte Esther Smith, of Windsor, that old university town so closely associated with Judge Haliburton ("Sam Slick"). The future Amor de Cosmos was born on August 20, 1825. He received his education at a private school and later at the Windsor Academy. When he was fifteen his family moved to Halifax. Young Smith soon obtained employment with Charles Whitman & Company, wholesale merchants, but found time to attend the night school of John S. Thompson and to take part in the discussions of the Dalhousie Debating Club.

Off to California

IN 1851 William Alexander Smith started west to the California gold fields. He traveled by boat to New York and by train to St. Louis. He joined a caravan, which, after beating off Indian attacks, finally reached Salt Lake City. There Smith spent some time, but set out again for California in the Spring of 1853. In June of that year he arrived at Placerville, Eldorado County. But Smith soon found that photography was a more paying business than mining. So he started out with his camera and daguerreotype stock to visit the mining camps as far south as the Mexican boundary. He charged $20 a picture and seems to have prospered. On his return from the south he settled down in Orville, Bute County, as a trader, miner and speculator. He seems also to have been a prominent member of the Vigilantes, that body of men in California who upheld law and order in face of political corruption and violence.

An Editor in Victoria

WHEN in 1858 the golden days of California waned, de Cosmos joined the thousands who flocked to New Caledonia (British Columbia). It is doubtful if he ever reached the Cariboo; but after he left San Francisco he was next heard of in Victoria. He had not been there long before he decided that there was room for a newspaper, and so on December 11, 1858, he published The British Colonist. His trenchant pen soon aroused the ire of Dictator James Douglas, who had, after years as chief of the Hudson's Bay Company, founded Fort Victoria in 1843 and later became Governor of Vancouver Island and of the new Province of British Columbia.

At Odds With Governor

DOUGLAS and de Cosmos were opposites. The former was by nature and career an autocrat; de Cosmos had come from a province where Joseph Howe had fought, and won, the battle for responsible government, and naturally he became a leader for reform on Vancouver Island. He assaulted James Douglas and his "Family Compact" Council, and it was no wonder that he found it difficult to secure election to the Assembly. Most of the electors were either Douglas men or influenced by them.

Defeated by Subterfuge

ON one occasion (so Prof. W. N. Sage, of Vancouver, has written) de Cosmos was defeated by a subterfuge. Gordon, member for Esquimalt, had in 1860 been appointed colonial treasurer and had to resign his seat and seek re-election. De Cosmos, his former opponent, entered the field against him. As objection was raised to his name he decided to run as "William Alexander Smith known as de Cosmos." One of his supporters voted for him by the name de Cosmos, and the sheriff, who was also acting as poll clerk, entered this vote as being given to a third candidate. The results were Gordon, eleven votes; William A. Smith known as de Cosmos, ten votes, and de Cosmos, one vote. Gordon was declared elected. De Cosmos protested the election and four months later it was annulled on the grounds that the 1859 voters' list had been used in place of the 1860 list.

Urged Union With Canada

IT was not until 1863 that de Cosmos was elected. He soon made his influence felt; he demanded union of the Island and the Mainland; he advocated union with Canada, then itself preparing for Confederation. When in 1865 the great depression came, following the collapse of the gold boom, many advocated annexation to the United States, just as in the depression of 1849 the Montreal merchants had urged separation from Britain. De Cosmos, as a Nova Scotian, supported confederation with Canada and in 1867 introduced a motion favoring this course. Delays occurred during which an annexationist movement revived. Soon this issue was joined, annexation versus confederation. Canada was far away; Canadians were then none too popular in British Columbia. The United States, especially after the purchase of Alaska in 1867, was on both sides of the Pacific colony. Annexation seemed a ready and easy solution for the problems of British Columbia.

But the little band of confederationists headed by Amor de Cosmos, John Robson, Robert Beaven, Alfred Waddington, J. Spencer Thompson and others, did not despair. They had to face the opposition not only of the annexationists, but also of the Governor and the official class. In 1869 Canada entered into negotiations with the British Government for the transfer of the Hudson Bay Territories and that year Governor Seymour died.

Sir John A. Macdonald took a hand and Governor Anthony Musgrave, who had recently unsuccessfully led the confederationist forces in Newfoundland, was appointed as Seymour's successor. The way was paved for Confederation.

In the Confederation debate held in the Legislative Council of British Columbia in March, 1870, de Cosmos took a leading part. In the end terms of union were drafted and a delegation, of which de Cosmos was not a member, left for Ottawa. Final negotiations were successful and British Columbia joined the Dominion of Canada on July 20, 1871.

Sat in Both Houses

IN October, 1871, Amor de Cosmos offered himself as a candidate for the Federal House and also as a candidate for the first Provincial Legislature of British Columbia. He was successful in both contests. In the Provincial House he opposed the new Premier, J. R. McCreight, but he was called away to Ottawa before the end of the session. In the Canadian House of Commons de Cosmos did not, however, play any outstanding role. He found that his talents were more suited to the Provincial than to the national political arena.

Provincial Premier and M.P.

THE McCreight Government fell in December, 1872, and de Cosmos was called upon to form an administration. He formed a coalition government and succeeded in banishing the Lieutenant-Governor from his cabinet meetings. By this action full responsible government was introduced into British Columbia. During de Cosmos' absences in Ottawa Walkem acted as Premier and to many Walkem and not de Cosmos was the real hand of the government. In 1873, when the Dual Representation Bill came into force and no member of the Parliament of Canada was allowed to sit in a Provincial House, de Cosmos resigned as Premier of British Columbia.

Then Urged Secession

HE was returned to Ottawa in the Dominion election of 1874. During the contest between the Dominion and the Provincial Governments for the carrying out of the railway clause of the terms of union, de Cosmos voiced the dissatisfaction of his constituents in British Columbia. The Mackenzie Government in Ottawa did not seem to wish to build the promised transcontinental railway and British Columbia threatened secession. De Cosmos in the House of Commons in 1879 moved for the peaceful separation of British Columbia from the Dominion of Canada, but failed to secure a seconder. But by that time Sir John A. Macdonald had been returned to power and the secession issue was dead.

Name Died With Him

FINALLY in 1882 Amor de Cosmos met defeat at the polls. His constituents had tired of him and it must be confessed that de Cosmos had never been "a patient party man" and he was at times rather undiplomatic and quarrelsome. He retired to Victoria where his brother, Charles McKay Smith, was editing The Standard. In 1895 he made his last attempt in Provincial politics, but failed to secure a nomination in Victoria. Two years later, in the year of Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee, he died.

Amor de Cosmos never married. With him the name died out. He had done much for British Columbia, especially in his fights for the union of the colonies, for Confederation and for responsible government. He greatly assisted in the political education of British Columbians, but he never occupied the position in the Pacific Province that Joseph Howe had done in Nova Scotia.

Artificial Flowers Popular

ARTIFICIAL flowers, like other Edwardiania, are popular. Among the most attractive are coned fir sprays, tinted delicate shades of green and mauve and powdered with silver frost which catches every ray of light. There are also hips and haws and rowan berries springing glossily from branches whose leaves have the perfect golden tints and curled edges of Winter. And, just as a reminder that Spring is coming, one can buy little blue pots containing primulas and purple-edged auriculas sprouting from rich moss, or a little blackthorn tree spangled with starry white blossoms.

Berengaria Under Axe

THE Berengaria, now berthed at Jarrow-on-Tyne, was purchased for $540,000 by Sir John Jarvis on behalf of a new company specially formed to undertake the work of breaking her up. This was a public-spirited action, for which the inhabitants of the depressed areas of Tyneside are grateful. The work, which begins in February, will take about two years and employ 200 men.

On January 16 there will be an auction sale of the ship's fittings and furniture, lasting ten days. Among items for which brisk bidding is anticipated are some fine antique tapestry hangings and a parquet dance floor in the first-class lounge, and Tudor reproduction furniture and hand-carved panelling in the smoking room.

Princess as Artist

PRINCESS Elizabeth recently held an exhibition of her toys at St. James' Palace in aid of the Children's League of the hospital, which is named after her, at Stepney, East London. The Princess and her sister, Margaret, also knit woolen suits and scarves for the little patients, and at Christmas, the firm which frames the pictures Princess Elizabeth paints for her friends helped by giving a tenth of its takings to aid the hospital.

For several years the Princess has been painting pictures, which are among the most treasured possessions in various Royal homes. The head of the galleries where they are framed said that the pictures show the touch of a true artist. One that struck him particularly was a vivid circus scene, with a horse rearing up in the arena and a recognizable Queen Mary among the audience in the background. Another of the Princess' efforts was a delightful water color landscape of Windsor Great Park, showing her ponies.

Patriot's Home Found

THE discovery of Rakoczi's Turkish house has followed the return of Kassa to Hungary. While engaged in restoring a house, workmen recently came upon iron cases in the cellar containing plaster reliefs, parts of ceilings and the like, which were identified as lost parts of the wooden habitation of Rakoczi when he settled down in 1720 to exile in Tekirdag (Rodosto).

Rakoczi had, in addition to his dining-room, bedroom and study, a small chapel which has remained untouched since his death, even to the blue and white cedar squares decorating the vaulted ceiling put up by Rakoczi himself and the picture of the Madonna over the altar, also the great Hungarian patriot's own work.

It is probable that these remains, which had formerly disappeared mysteriously, will be built into the Rakoczi church in Budapest, the plan of restoring the house in its original form having been abandoned owing to the condition of the material.

The French Santa Claus is dressed like a Harlequin in the old pantomime.

Television in Britain

By Joan Littlefield

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LONDON.—The television service of the British Broadcasting Corporation recently passed its second birthday. Since regular programmes began to be sent out daily from the studio at Alexandra Palace in 1936, the television staff has been doubled, the cost of an average set has fallen from approximately $470 to $185, and the time allotted to programmes has risen from twelve to seventeen or eighteen hours a week.

It is estimated that there are 10,000 owners of television sets in Britain, with a potential audience of from 40,000 to 50,000. Officially, transmission from Alexandra Palace cover a radius of only thirty miles, but excellent pictures have been received at South Coast towns, sixty to seventy miles away, and even at Norwich, a hundred miles to the northeast.

The cheapest set on the market costs $120, but its screen is very small and most people pay $185 or more for their sets. Luxury models with larger screens, suitable for reception in clubs and public places, cost about $1,250. These costs are not likely to alter much for the present.





TELEVISION MARKS SECOND BIRTHDAY IN BRITAIN

Left: The home of British television. Alexandra Palace, an ornate memento of Victorian days, in North London, houses the television studio of the British Broadcasting Corporation. Right: Rehearsal in the television studio. A dance orchestra being prepared for visual as well as audible transmission of its performance.

In Victorian Setting

THE Alexandra Palace is an ornate, Victorian building dominating the heights of North London. It is surrounded by a hilly park, whose trees, grassland and artificial lake have already figured in a number of "outside broadcasts." The B.B.C. has about a quarter of the vast building, and one passes from the dark, cavernous plaster statue-strewn depths of the old Palace to studios as bright and modern and clean as the most up-to-date hospital.

The transmission system is that developed by the Marconi-E.M.I. Company, which operates on a frequency of forty-five megacycles per second (wavelength 6.67 meters). The sound transmitter is an ultra-short wave instalation of orthodox design for radiating speech and music accompanying vision signals. Its operating frequency is 41.5 megacycles per second (wavelength, 7.23 meters).

The studio is similar in many respects to a film studio, only the lighting is brighter and the space more restricted. When I visited it, they were transmitting a weekly feature called "Picture Page," in which various personalities are introduced to tell viewers about their jobs or hobbies. A writer, recently returned from Rumania, sat, quite at home, in a chair telling of the various customs of the country. His interviewer, Leslie Mitchell, spoke, but was not seen.

The producer hovered in the background, waving directions to his camera crew. And that is one of the great differences between television and films. A film producer can take any amount of time over a shot and have as many retakes as he likes. A television producer, though he may have had a preliminary rehearsal, is actually working on his production all the time it is being given out to its unseen audience.

While the author still spoke, the next victim, a man with a wonderful collection of old playing cards, was taken up into another corner of the studio so that the cameras could be switched to him as soon as the first "turn" was finished.

I tiptoed out with my guide and went into a miniature cinema, where we watched the televised version of what we had just been seeing in reality. The pictures, though small, are without the slightest flicker and as clear as any film.

Plays Most Popular

I ASKED my guide what were the most popular items televised.

"Long plays," he told me, "and outside broadcasts of national events. We made a big step forward when we televised the Coronation procession. Since then viewers have seen the Armistice Day service at the Cenotaph, the Lord Mayor's Show, film-making at Pinewood and Denham, the Trooping of the Colors, the Wimbledon Tennis matches, the Boat Race, the Circus at Olympia, the Chelsea Flower Show, football matches, and the recent arrival in London of the King of Rumania.

"A new step forward was taken on November 17, when we televised the whole of J. B. Priestley's play, 'When We Are Married,' from the London theatre where it is being performed. Soon we are to televise the arrival of first-nighters at a new musical comedy, a behind-the-scenes visit to the leading players and part of the first act of the show."

For these outside broadcasts the B.B.C. has a mobile television unit, consisting of three vehicles each about the size of a large motor coach. The most important of these contains control room equipment similar to the control room at Alexandra Palace. When a picture has been obtained in the mobile control room, it still has to be conveyed to Alexandra Palace to be broadcast in the usual way. For this purpose the General Postoffice has laid a cable in the centre of London, which passes points of interest from which television broadcasts may be carried out and is connected with Broadcasting House and thence with Alexandra Palace. If the scene to be televised is not on the route followed by the television cable, a wireless link is used to convey the picture to Alexandra Palace, and for this purpose a complete ultra-short-wave vision transmitter has been provided in the second vehicle.

Theatre Broadcasts

THEATRE managers are co-operating with the B.B.C. in television broadcasts of their shows, and these broadcasts are likely to increase. The film studios, too, are ready to work with television, but the film distributors are at present against the idea of their feature pictures being televised, and the B.B.C. has had to experiment with French films, though news reels and short interest pictures are frequently televised.

"Our viewers are not very interested in televised feature films, though," my guide told me. "They are not altogether satisfactory, as much of the detail in their big scenes is lost on a small screen. So we are developing our own drama section."

He took me to the old, disused theatre of the Alexandra Palace, which is now the B.B.C.'s scene painting and scene storage dock. Here is scenery of all types and periods. Seventeen painters are employed, most of them having come from film studios.

One of the most ambitious plays to be televised was "Cyrano de Bergerac," with Leslie Banks in the chief role. Nearly every week one or two full-length plays are televised. They are shortened a little and usually run from one to one and a half hours. In addition, a slightly shortened version of a play currently running in the West End is televised from the studio with the London cast.

Ballet has been found a popular television item, and the Vic-Wells Ballet and the various Russian ballets visiting London have all been seen by viewers. Modern dances are demonstrated before the television cameras, new dress fashions are shown off, gardening lessons are given from a small garden in the Palace grounds, and close-ups of baby animals from the Zoo and a very popular item.

The Director of Television and the man chiefly responsible for its success is Gerald Cock, who in his early days spent six years in Western America, New York and the mining districts of Utah. He once had a ranch in Holywood, where Sunset Boulevard now stands, but sold out in 1911. Maybe if he had not done so, British television would not hold the leading position it does in the world today.

The Drama in Canada

(From The London Observer)

MR. Malcolm Morley, the London theatrical producer, has returned from his trip to Canada, where he has been adjudicating entries in the annual Drama Festival.

He went ostensibly for four months, on his coast-to-coast trip judging productions in large towns and in small villages, and then stayed on for nearly eleven months in all. He bought himself a second-hand car for £30, covered more than four thousand extra miles in it, lectured on the drama, did some productions for amateur societies (and sold his car for £10 before returning).

His account of the state of the theatre in Canada is extremely interesting. The professional theatre in Canada has very nearly completely ceased to exist. Partly by a natural sequence of events, and partly owing to the deliberate intention of the film companies, nearly every theatre in the Dominion has been converted into a cinema.

In these circumstances, the Canadians have gone to work in another manner. There has grown up a widespread movement of amateur drama, which, Mr. Morley assured me, is rapidly ceasing to be amateur in efficiency and technique.

"How do they compare with the best professionals?" I asked. "I am not saying that all the companies could stand up to such a comparison," said Mr. Morley. "Before I came to adjudicate, the companies that I saw had been 'weeded out' by a process of elimination from among other companies. But the general standard is extremely high. Many of the companies have by now worked together for several years. The best of them put up performances that could be compared with West End standards."

Takes Interest

THE Drama Festival was instituted by Lord Bessborough during his term as Governor-General. He took a great personal interest in it, and it has continued every year since under the very active directorship of Col. H. C. Osborne. Each year an adjudicator of established reputation has been invited out from England, and has spent four months or more traveling the length and breadth of the Dominion.

Mr Morley (who has been out more than once) told me that he found it an exciting and invigorating experience. "Of course it's very gratifying to the vanity of a London producer or dramatic critic to be treated as he is treated out there when he comes to adjudicate—to be met at stations, to be whisked off to Government Houses in cars, to have his word on questions of the theatre treated as law. But there is something more in it than personal vanity. He is justified in feeling that the official respect paid to him is really an official respect paid to art—a recognition of the vital part that the theatre can play in the life of a community."

The majority of the plays selected by the companies are second-hand: that is to say, they have already been seen on the stages either of London or of New York. About 20 per cent of them are original works by local dramatists.

A play that particularly impressed Mr. Morley was an almost forgotten one-act play by the great Russian poet Pushkin, translated into English verse by Miss Irena Groten, "Festival in Time of Plague." The scene is set in the London of 1665.

There remains the question of whether Canada will ever have a professional theatre again. Mr. Malcolm Morley thinks that it will—and that it will come about through the amateur movement. "After all, that is how the company of the Abbey Theatre, Dublin, started—a collection of amateurs who met together to produce plays, rehearsing in the evening after office hours.

"There is the Little Theatre in Ottawa—converted out of a chapel, as was the Abbey Theatre. It holds about five hundred people—which is a hundred more than the Little Theatre in London. It is admirably equipped as regards its stage. If two or three of the amateur companies of the district could combine, and would engage a professional "producer," and perhaps one or two professional actors and actresses to head the cast to start off with—then a full-time professional company might arise. Canada would return to the professional theatre via its period of often very brilliant amateurism."

I Drank Last Night in an English Inn

By WILLIAM COBB, in Overseas Daily Mail

SINCE then peace, pride and a deep content have restored my soul. My world has swung back again on its proper orbit. Other nations have resumed their appointed place in the Scheme of Things I know what England means.

Before then I had the symptoms of the prevalent national fit of the blues strongly developed. I was infected with the microbes of foreign propaganda, feverish with suspicion of my own country, querulous with questions, dreary with doubt.

Are you like that? There is a cure.

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I Drank Last Night in an English Inn

WHERE is it? No matter. There are still hundreds such amid our English country scenes. Suffice it that it is some twenty miles from London by road, and immeasurable leagues from any city by the paths of thought. It was once a great posting house, and in its old stables there is still the friendly sound of many horses.

I lifted the latch; entered the inn parlor—oh! so much better a name than "saloon bar."

The walls were warm with history. In this house for 400 years men have met and talked and drank and been content. Now their bones are in English soil, but their spirits endure. The friendship they have had here comes back to us. Their generations have left us a sense of happy habitation.

Above us great oak rafters, dark with age. On the walls a few old sporting prints. Behind the bar counter rows of pewter pots and barrels with shining taps. Comfortable chairs everywhere. The glow of firelight from an open grate. The scene of wood burning.

From the other side of the room, from its place by its mistress' knee, a spaniel regarded me with soft and grave and steady eyes. Two Sealyham puppies, entering on the heels of their master, romped before the fire, disdainfully watched by a fat black cat sitting in safety.

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DID I hear—or was it an echo—the clatter of the Portsmouth coach, the jingle of harness, the stamp of horses' hoofs upon the cobble stones, the sound of a post-horn blown afar?

Sometimes there were a dozen of us in the inn parlor; sometimes more. We drank. We put our tankards carefully down.

We talked as men talk who have much in common. Not with the voice of cities; not of wars and hatreds, arms and envy; not of civil rumors carried with the breath of fear; but of the things we know and know to be good, of the common round of our nativity.

The mayor is arranging a great reunion, a twenty-years-after dinner for all the ex-service men of the district. Do we know of anyone who has been forgotten, anyone who thinks himself too poor to come? Of course, he must not be left out.

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ANYONE seen old Jim lately? Heard he's been a bit queer. Yes, Bill went today. Says he's better. Be along for his pint again Saturday. Farmer Jenkins' daughter getting married. Think we'll win the dart match at the Dog and Pheasant? Beagles meet tomorrow; who's going? Big party up at the hall. Christmas coming soon.

Thus and thus the talk drifts, so and so our thoughts wander, neighborly talk, friendly thoughts, while the blue smoke from pipes and cigarettes rises and the beer gets lower in the tankards. We are one community; we are sufficient unto ourselves; we are at peace.

Ten o'clock! "Good night, missus." "Good night, Bill." "Good night, Jack." The landlord shuts the door. The last of the echoing footsteps dies away on the cobble stones. I go upstairs to bed.

From the casement window I look out on the perfect beauty of a night of stars; dim seen the meadows where the river runs, dark the woods beyond. In the distance a dog barks. Then all is quiet.

I slept sweet sleep last night in an English inn.

Blushing

BOYS and girls do not like to think that they blush when spoken to by a stranger. It is a sign of nervousness which extends to the bird world, too. Several birds blush when excited, notably turkey-cocks and macaws. Then enraged the white skin of a macaw's face becomes suffused with pink; where in a fury every feather stands out on end, while it rends the air with ear-splitting screeches.

DARWIN.—Recruiting has started for a new mobile defence force for this North Australian port, to include infantry, artillery and machine gunners.

Canadian Mosaic—New Canadian Book

WHAT have the various racial groups in Canada contributed to the advancement and economic progress of the nation? To its culture, its literature, its art of living?

How did these racial groups come to Canada in the first place, and how have they fared? How many Scandinavians, for example, are in the Dominion; how many Dutch, how many Russians, how many Italians?

These questions, and many more, are answered in "Canadian Mosaic" (McClelland & Stewart, Toronto), by the noted Scottish-Canadian author, John Murray Gibbon, and the result is a monumental contribution to Canada's all-too-scanty store of worthwhile information about itself.

To a man of Mr. Gibbon's scholarly and imaginative mind, Canada's racial hodge-podge is no dry matter of statistics, though the necessary and revealing figures are all there. Instead of a mere catalogue of racial groups, however, readers will find a richly romantic story.

Actually the work represents three decades of research by an able writer and keen student who confesses that from the time he set foot in Canada thirty years ago after leaving the editorship of The Illustrated London News he was intrigued by the variety of racial types making up Canada's population.

"On the day of my first arrival," he says, "I saw a member of the Dominion Cabinet, the Hon. Jacques Bureau, on a Government tugboat at Quebec, serving ginger ale in his shirt sleeves to a party of newspaper men, and singing 'the French-Canadian folk song, 'En roulant me boule roulant,' and I imagined the kind of a letter that some English colonel would write from his club to The London Times if a British Cabinet Minister were to have done anything of the kind."

It is certain that Mr. Gibbon's interest in Canada's "melting pot" was fully born at that minute.

Perhaps no one is more peculiarly equipped to produce such a book as "Canadian Mosaic." Aside from his long interest in the subject for its own sake, Mr. Gibbon has had unique opportunities to study various racial groups domiciled in the Dominion at first hand, and those who have seen his "Northland Songs" will see how fully he has caught the spirit of various nationalities in his translations of their folk songs and melodies.

New Canadians

FURTHERMORE, the "New Canadians" exhibited both their folk songs and precious handicrafts for Mr. Gibbon's minute study in a series of folk song and handicraft festivals starting at Quebec and going west to Winnipeg, Regina and Calgary. These were Mr. Gibbon's own creations, made possible by Sir Edward Beatty, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, which Mr. Gibbon serves as general publicity agent.

He also arranged and supervised the Scottish musical festivals at Banff, and the Sea Music festival at Vancouver and the Yuletide festival at Victoria, in 1929, which has since been carried on at the Empress Hotel.

"Canadian Mosaic," Mr. Ribbon modestly states, is an elaboration of the talks incidental to a series of ten musical programmes which he organized and delivered early in 1938 over the transcontinental network of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

Actually, "Canadian Mosaic" is, in literary form and presentation, another 'Steel of Empire" which Mr. Gibbon produced a few years ago as the romantic story of the search for the Northwest Passage which culminated, quixotically enough, in the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

A book of 455 pages, indexed and fully documented, it is profusely illustrated, including twenty-seven paintings in color by such noted artists as Kathleen Shackleton, W. J. Phillips, R.C.A., R. H. Palenske, Nicholas de Grandmaison, Ernest Neumann and James Crockart, and with scores of photographs.

Its wide range presents the absorbing and little-known story of Canada's population groups, and the various chapters deal with such influxes as the French, the Huguenots, the Scots, the Irish, emigration of which race resulted from a potato famine in their homeland; the effect of the American Civil War on Canada's population; how French explorers looked for China and found fur in Canada, historic meetings between the French and English in Canada, with their effects on the tide of immigration; the influence of the church in bringing settlers to the country; the settling of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, the Hudson's Bay Company and its effect in immigration from Scotland and England, and the coming of races from Scandinavia and Europe, each race with something to offer the country of their adoption.

Good Reading

IT is good reading, solid meat with plenty of seasoning.

Now that immigration is so much in the public mind once more, it is only fitting to see what Mr. Gibbon thinks about it.

"Patriotic Canadians," he says, "have lamented the drain of population into the United States, but such movements are governed by economic laws which Nature has established for the health of mankind. Just as the human body can digest only the amount of food that it needs so there is a limit to the immigration that a country can absorb. The intervals between meals enable the body to digest what has been eaten, and the intervals between the waves of immigration have enabled Canada to assimilate its new citizens.

"The temporary embargo on immigration resulting from the depression of 1932-37 gave breathing space in which Canada could absorb and assimilate the post-war immigrants. Now there are indications that Canada is ready for more, although this time it will be under some plan of judicious selection."

There is something reminiscent of the dour Scot in Mr. Gibbon's staunch and forthright conclusion that "the health of a country should not be measured by the size of its population," for, he says, "during the depression following the financial crisis of 1932, there were nearly twice as many Americans in receipt of relief as there were inhabitants of Canada. Those who have the ambition to live only in a country with a large population had better go to China."

Theatre Guild Formed

THE London borough of Lewisham has formed a Children's Theatre Guild, with which seventy-two local schools and more than 300 children are associated. Soon a theatre will be built, designed and constructed for the sole use of children. It will have workshops, craft rooms and a comprehensive library. The children, with the help and advice of an executive committee consisting of twenty teachers, will write and produce their own plays, will also perform established works, and will construct scenery and design costumes and settings. First-rate professional theatrical companies will be invited to present the work of the best English and foreign dramatists, and the theatre will also be available to the local amateur societies.

Prince's Double Grief

KING Gustav's brother, Prince Eugene of Sweden, home from a doubly sad mission at Oslo, has lost a great friend. Beside visiting the chapel at Akershus, where the late Queen Maud now lies, Prince Eugene delivered the funeral oration of Werenskiold, the distinguished Norwegian painter, whom he had known for many years and with whom, since he is himself a painter of some note, the Prince had much in common. Werenskiold was celebrated for his illustrations to modern editions of the Sagas, and he also painted a number of landscapes with Norwegian subjects which are greatly loved. For many years Werenskiold and the explorer Nansen were neighbors and close friends.

Canal With History

THE cutting of the Corinth Canal, recently blocked up by a landslide, was begun by Nero, who set about having it dug in the days when it was still customary to haul ships overland from one side of the isthmus to the other. Work on the canal had to be abandoned after a short distance had been cut from the Gulf of Corinth, and it was not until 1881 that the French continued the route. They gave it up, also in 1889, and a Greek syndicate finished the job and opened the canal in 1893. Connecting the Gulf of Corinth with the Saronic Gulf, and thereby shortening the journey from the Adriatic to Piraeus by over 200 miles, the waterway is four miles long, but only seventy feet at the extreme it is a tight squeeze for some ships to get through), while its depth varies according to silt deposits, but is around twenty-five feet.

Suburb and Country

AGRICULTURE IS A FIRST PRINCIPLE: ON IT RESTS THE LIFE AND HAPPINESS OF MANKIND—Julian A. Dimock

Utilization of Trees and Shrubs for Home Planting

By W. H. WARREN
Parks Superintendent, Victoria

IN considering material for home planting it is not intended to suggest that one should confine home planting entirely to trees and shrubs, but rather to give thought to a carefully selected list particularly adapted to our conditions. Use perennials, climbers and all those herbaceous plants which give our gardens in Victoria such a characteristic air of distinction. We should avoid the drab monotonous use of evergreens for foundation planting so frequently seen across the border in Washington.

Evergreens and deciduous material may be mixed; letting one or the other definitely predominate. One should remember that the intelligent use of trees and shrubs is an excellent way to reduce the cost of garden maintenance. A garden devoted to perennials costs more to maintain—one planted with Spring and Summer bedding plants is even more expensive.

Trees and shrubs should be chosen with an eye to hardiness, adaptability, variety, form, season of bloom, fruit and general ornamental utility. Those with attractive foliage, resistant to diseases and pests, those with colored Autumn leaves, colored bark and fruit should be given preference. Insufficient consideration is given to creating attractive Winter color in the garden. The berried shrubs and evergreens are one of the first things that catch the eye of the Winter visitor to Victoria. There are so many trees which bear attractive flowers that there is little excuse for planting shade trees like elm and linden in the home grounds.

Plan Your Planting

THE most common mistakes in home planting are overcrowding and the excessive planting of single specimens. Trees and shrubs are valued for their ornamental use as specimens and as part of a landscaped plan where they are used in masses. It is common temptation to dot the grounds with single specimens, but it is the latter mass treatment which is most desirable. Plants scattered over a lawn destroy its unity. Individuality, strength and accent in the grounds as a whole are lost. Therefore confine planting to around the foundation of the house and the boundary of the lawn, keeping the centre open. Estimate the final size of your shrubs, give them the bare space required so that when full grown the branches intermingle, unifying the whole scheme. Large shade trees should only be used where the grounds are of such magnitude, for they are scarcely necessary on the average lot. Remember massed border planting should be the rule and the use of individual specimens the exception. The amateur usually practices the converse of this rule. Specimens when used on the lawn should be planted close to the border. Tall material is used at the back, small shrubs at the front of the shrub border. Masses of shrubs are a natural means of shutting off one part of the garden from another.

Climatic Factors

VICTORIA, advertised as the only air-conditioned city on the continent, is not always so favorable to plants as to humans. Rock plants have difficulty maintaining growth during an eight-month season when under alpine conditions the season may last only eight weeks. Again they suffer from continually moist conditions during the Winter season when they would be naturally asleep beneath a blanket of snow.

The early Fall rains germinate many of our wild annuals and grasses which grow quickly throughout the Winter, to flower and seed in the Spring. These same rains stimulate many trees and shrubs, particularly exotics, into a second growth following the long Summer drought. For example, the broom and bush lupins may make a considerable portion of their growth in the Fall. The result is that trees and shrubs do not ripen their growth properly until December or even later. We find roses do not mature their late growth in a mild season until January or February. We therefore find that hardwood cuttings are best taken here at Christmas instead of the commonly accepted practice of taking them about October.

Again many trees and shrubs like Catalpa, Paulownia, Albizzia, etc., which survive low temperatures elsewhere, do not stand our long-growing season satisfactorily, because they fail to ripen their wood early enough. The heavy frost in October, 1936, was quite severe on these types. Even natives like arbutus and flowering dogwood are susceptible to frost injury.

Our rainfall during July and August averages only half an inch each month. Most people realizing the seriousness of the drought, water their gardens at this time. During April and May, however, the rainfall is just about one inch each month. These are the months when strong winds prevail. Consequently much of the rainfall is dissipated. Newly-planted material frequently suffers severely from drought, wind and general lack of attention at this season. This is a factor in Spring planting commonly overlooked, in fact, it is one argument for early Fall planting where conditions will permit, i.e., planting as soon as the heavy Fall rains come, when seasonal work is not so rushed as in the Spring.

Adaptability

IT is a good maxim to assist and co-operate with nature rather than to thwart her. Make sure your material is hardy. Then check its suitability for for your soil. If you have a hot, dry sandy soil, confine your material to those which love these conditions, such as rock roses, sun roses, broom, gorse, bush lupins, pines, etc. Conversely, shade or partial shade lovers like rhododendrons, azaleas, aucubas, Japanese maples, flowering currant, hemlock and dogwood should be planted under such conditions. By doing this, you will establish a more successful garden. Lilacs, for instance, like a sunny position in a sweet soil. How often have we seen them doomed to a starved existence in a shady spot. The reason lilacs are not more common here is probably because they dislike our typical acid or sour soil conditions; but this condition is easily rectified with the use of a little lime. Plant requirements like those of animals must be studied to be successful. A drip from a roof, a dry spot under an overhanging eave, subsoil thrown up from the house foundations and poor drainage are a few conditions which frequently spell disaster in home plantings.

Some shrubs, like holly and privet, are so subject to pests around Victoria that it is questionable whether the cure is worth the trouble. Certainly there are many shrubs more suited for hedge purposes than privet. The acid soil requirements of rhododendrons, azaleas, heathers and other ericaceous plants are too well known to be enlarged here.

For extremely shady spots even under dry conditions the aucuba is recommended, remembering always to prepare the soil and care for the shrubs well the first year. The plants are dioecious, and by planting aucubas of both sexes an attractive crop of red berries is assured.

There are many half hardy plants like Fuchsia riccartoni which die to the ground each year, but are well worth growing. Many species of bamboo are quite hardy here. In habit of growth there are two types, one like couch grass and the other growing in tufts like orchard grass. The latter type is to be preferred, being less rampant than the former. Some of the best species are Phyllostachys nigra punctata, P. reticulata (P. quilol), P. aurea, Arundinaria fastuosa and A. metake. All the dwarf types known here are too rampant to be useful.

Improved Varieties

IT pays to get the best is particularly true for trees and shrubs. While it is difficult to distinguish the best of the new varieties of roses, azaleas, rhododendrons and lilacs that are constantly flooding the market, there are varieties of trees and shrubs of proven merit which deserve greater popularity.

The nursery trade deserves credit for introducing varieties which we now possess, but unless there is a demand for superior types, the nurseryman cannot be expected to maintain a stock. Flowering cherries, cotoneasters, flowering crab apples, thorns and barberries typify some of our most useful planting material, of which there are dozens of excellent types and varieties, many of them relatively unknown to the general public and to the trade. It is greatly to be regretted that an arboretum of the choicer trees and shrubs is not maintained on Vancouver Island to educate the public as to their character and values. The writer recently could only obtain a collection of named varieties of ornamental crab apples which had been bred and introduced at the Central Experimental Farm by ordering them through an eastern nursery firm. Only some of these were on trial at the Saanichton Experimental Station. To see the nearest good collection of flowering cherries one must travel to Seattle.

Native Material

WE do not fully appreciate the value of our native trees and shrubs. It is painful to see beautiful natural woodlands often ruined by a planting of foreign material which not only look out of place, but seldom grows as well as the native material it was meant to replace. An old Garry oak, with its characteristic gnarled branching is something to be cared for and treasured. One must, however, take no undue risk with old oak trees, for the wood is brittle and limbs may fall at the most unexpected times, particularly in hot weather.

Passing over the large evergreen trees, our most useful natives are probably the flowering dogwood, Oregon grape and flowering currant. But there are many others, the best of which are the evergreen huckleberry, osier dogwood, cascara, the large leafed maple and black cottonwood, both of which are highly regarded for park work in Great Britain; the spireas, S. douglassi and Holodiscus discolor, the mock orange, arbutus, nuttallia or Indian plum, wild cherries and crab apple. Then there is that excellent ground cover, bearberry, which only fruits under the most arid conditions, the so-called heathers of our mountainous regions, and the false box or pachystima. I almost overlooked the vine maple, which imparts such a characteristic color to the lower mainland in the Fall, and the junipers, both upright and prostrate.

If you wish to move material into your garden from the wild, particularly poorly rooted trees like dogwood, dig the smallest specimen you can find in the Fall before the leaves fall and cut it back severely. Such a tree even if only eighteen inches high will make better headway after being transplanted than a larger specimen.

Evergreens

IN buying evergreens, it is best to visit the nursery and pick your specimens, thus assuring yourself of getting what you want. Refrain from picking too many colored types, particularly yellow-foliaged varieties. This also holds true for variegated-leafed deciduous trees and shrubs and the broad-leafed evergreens. A little bit goes a long way with the brighter colors in a small garden.

Hedges

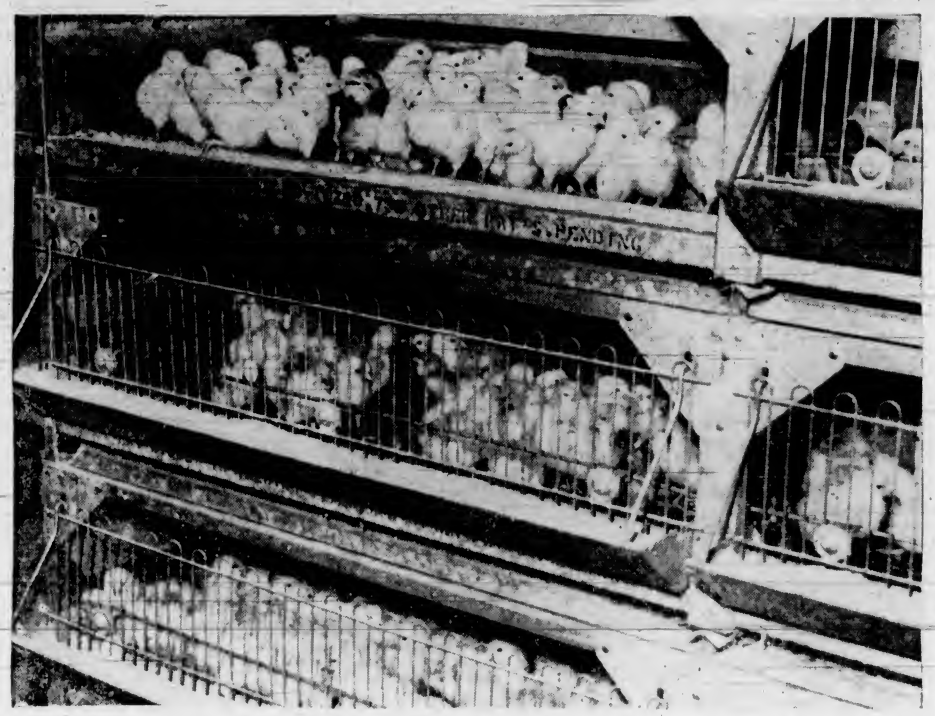
FOR ideas on the use of material for hedges see those at the Saanichton Experimental Station and read the Dominion Department of Agriculture Bulletin No. 142.

Monterey Cypress is the fastest growing evergreen and makes a very satisfactory hedge, but is often somewhat tender, particularly in its young stages. Thuja plicata, the native cedar and Lawson Cypress are both good although somewhat slower than the afore-mentioned. English and Japanese yew and hemlock are all very useful and grow well in shade. English and Portugese Laurel, particularly the latter, are useful broad-leafed evergreens. Viburnum tinus-Lauristinus is often cut back by frost, but in an average year it will bloom in Winter when not pruned too severely and is very attractive. Berberis Darwini, buxifolia, stenophylla, vernae and verriculosa are all useful and will bloom if not too severely pruned. Box and Ivy make excellent low hedges. Note the Ivy border at the Parliament buildings.

Berberis Thunbergi and its variety the Truehedge type are useful and very popular. The latter type does not berry like its parent, but both have attractive Autumn foliage. Fuchsia Riccartoni. If you do not object to cutting the hedge to the ground in the Fall, nothing is so satisfying as this fuchsia which will bloom all Summer long and is a wonderful attraction for humming birds. Cotoneasters and pyracanthas. The use of these shrubs for hedge purposes is not fully appreciated. Cotoneaster Simonsi and C. Franchetti make excellent hedges and the berries of the former last often until May in spite of clipping. (See the superintendent's residence, Experimental Station Saanichton). I have no doubt C. Microphylla and its variety thymifolia, C. prostrata, all evergreens, together with C. horizontalis (deciduous) would make low hedges, and if trained would look very effective and require little pruning. Never use flowering shrubs like spirea, deutzia and philadelphus for hedge purposes unless left untrimmed. It is cruel to see flowering wood removed from these shrubs by trimming. Hedges of spruce, quince, privet, hawthorn, holly and lonicera nitida, etc., have not been mentioned because I believe they have been superseded by better material mentioned above.

(To Be Continued Next Sunday.)

Edward J. T. Woodward, Albert Head, has been elected the British Columbia director of the Canadian Sheep Breeders' Association for 1939. E. H. Barton, Chilliwack, has been elected the British Columbia director of the Canadian Swine Breeders' Association.



It may seem early to find chicks such as these in January, but on the Saanich farm where these are being raised, hatches are brought out every week in the year. About 30,000 eggs are incubated, and 25,000 chicks brooded annually. The chicks are kept in a battery brooder for ten days, when they are moved into a larger battery brooder. A large number are sold as fryers at ten weeks, and approximately 5,000 chickens are in various stages of growth on the farm at any one time in the year. The chickens for table purposes are crossbreds, Sussex, Wyandotte, Rhode Island Reds and other breeds being used.

Things to Do in January to Get Results From Garden

By HORTICULTURIST

SOME of the best sweet peas I ever saw were exhibited at one of our shows. They were started in a cold greenhouse. Seeds were sown in small pots and grown along slowly until planting out time in March. You may use three or four-inch pots, placing five or six seeds in each; do not give too much water until germination has taken place. When true leaves have appeared, you may, if desired, repot into small pots.

We all neglect some part of our work in the garden—leave it until we have more time—or the job is disagreeable and we let it slide. Such a work seems to be the pruning of Rambler roses. A job which should be done as soon as the roses have finished blooming. I have often been called on to do this pruning when the new shoots have been well advanced, with the result that a good many of the blooms were lost. Attend to this work as soon as you can and before new growth starts.

Whilst the roses are in a dormant condition a much stronger spray can be used. Perhaps if more attention was given to this work now, less spraying would be required during the growing period. A spray recommended for roses at this stage is made up of one ounce sulphate of copper in two gallons of water. Spray over the bushes and on the soil around them. Go over them twice, making sure that there is nothing missed.

Soil for Seed Boxes

GET under cover a quantity of good loam, leaf mould and sand. This will be ready for the seed boxes when sowing time comes. Here are the quantities that are mixed for the use of seeds. Two parts loam, one part leaf mould and a good dash of sand, add a little slacked lime and put the whole through a one-third-inch sieve. A barrow load of this could be sterilized by using one-half pint of formalin to twenty parts of water. Cover with sacks after applying the liquid and leave for three weeks before using.

In my travels around different gardens, I find that the wind has played havoc with the newly-planted trees and shrubs. Ties have come loose and stakes broken. Where required, new stakes and supports should be provided and the plants securely tied, or serious damage may be done. Should the plants have been loosened at the roots, tread the soil firmly around them again. Secure climbing roses and other wall plants or years of patient efforts may be lost. For large trees collars of old hose pipe may be used and in other cases tarred string or rope is more suitable.

Broad beans may be sown towards the end of the month, if the weather is favorable.

Spray small fruit bushes with lime sulphur; they are usually covered with moss, etc., which is much against the production of good wholesome fruit.

Forcing Rhubard

OAK leaves and strawy stable manure mixed together will generate a slow heat, suitable for forcing rhubarb. Place boxes or large drain pipes over the crowns of the rhubarb roots and cover with the leaves and manure.

Continue to plant fruit trees, shrubs and ornamental trees whenever the conditions are right for the work. Be sure to firm the soil well around the roots and secure the trees to stakes in case of wind.

A cool greenhouse where the frost is just kept out is suitable for sowing onions at this time. Sow thinly, in flats, you can bring the young plants along without disturbance until planting time in March. They should at all times be grown under cool conditions.

It has been proved that sprouted potatoes give the best results, especially of the early kinds. During the next two or three weeks place your seed potatoes in flats with the thick end up and put them in a cool, light shed, free from frost. Excessive warmth will make the shoots thin and spindly.

Much work can be done amongst the shrubs this month. Cut out the dead wood and thin out the overcrowded branches. A good many Spring flowering shrubs and trees are best pruned immediately they have done flowering, but where they have too much wood in them, you may cut some away now.

Continue with the work in the herbaceous border. Dig in a plentiful supply of well-rotted manure, providing the ground is not too wet.

Early Planting of Roses

THE early planting of roses is best and I would urge you to get along with this work. Prepare a good body of rich soil in which to plant, and be sure to set the roses just deep enough (not too deep) and firm well all round.

Don't forget to give the stone fruits a dressing of lime, four ounces per square yard will be plenty, and fork into the soil around the trees.

Outdoor grapes can now be pruned, spurring back to within one to two buds of the main branches. Peel all loose bark off the vines and cleanse the rods. A strong solution of Gishurst Compound is best for this purpose.

Probably you will have to make renewals in the cabbage patch through losses caused by the frost. Do this towards the end of the month.

A number of vegetable and flower seeds may now be sown if you have a heated greenhouse or frame: early cauliflowers, tomatoes, leeks and tuberous begonias in the greenhouse, lettuce, radish and carrots in a frame, or hotbeds or heated with pipes.

The dried up grass of the pampas may now be burnt off, no harm will be done to the plants. Burning makes a cleaner job than cutting. It is said that pampas grass does better if transplanted into rich soil every two or three years.

Are Showy for Indoors

TWO easily grown plants that may be started at this season are the hybrid amaryllis and the calla. The former especially make very satisfactory and showy subjects for indoors. All that is needed is to place the huge fleshy bulbs in five or six-inch pots, letting the tips come about level with the soil—a good garden loam with a moderate amount of bone meal or plant food added. Watering at first is moderate—just enough to keep the soil moist, but after they get really going they require plenty. No shift to larger pots is required.

Callas like a soil rich in humus. Shredded cow manure added to it if obtainable, but not essential. They thrive in warm, moist atmosphere, and plenty of sun.

Nicotinic Acid Is Found To Have Beneficial Place in Nutrition

By DR. WILLIAM NEWTON

MANY people will be shocked at the suggestion that the consumption of small quantities of tobacco juices are beneficial, yet nutritional studies tend to support such a claim. Nicotine, a salt of nicotinic acid in tobacco in its pure form is exceedingly poisonous to human and animal life, but strangely enough many other substances likewise poisonous such as iodine and copper are nevertheless absolutely essential in small amounts as nutrient constituents in the preservation of health.

Nicotine acid was first found to serve as part of the enzyme or ferment system in muscle metabolism. A short time later it was discovered that minute amounts of nicotine acid would cure "blacktongue," a serious disease of dogs.

Since it had been known for some time that "blacktongue" in dogs is caused by the same vitamin deficiency that causes pellagra, a common disease among the poor whites and blacks of the south. It was natural enough that this acid was tested as a possible cure for this southern disease affecting the nerves. Already Dr. D. T. Straith, of Duke University, has reported spectacular cures. Patients near death have been cured in ten days by injections of minute amounts of this acid or by the inclusion of small amounts in the diet of the patients.

Has Stimulating Effect

THE latest find with respect to nicotinic acid is that the organism Staphylococcus aureus is markedly stimulated by minute amounts of this acid when grown in flasks in a laboratory. The stimulation of S. aureus by nicotinic acid is not altogether surprising, for this organism inhabits the skin pores of man and consequently is obliged to secure its nutrients from animal tissue. When this organism becomes unduly active, boils and pimples begin to appear. There is some evidence that a high consumption of tobacco increases man's susceptibility to S. aureus skin eruptions. However, such small amounts of nicotinic acid are essential that it is highly probable that sufficient is present in the average diet.

Although the distribution of this acid in food crops has not been studied, it is highly probable that it is quite common in food plants belonging to the Solanaceae family like potatoes and tomatoes. The protective value of potatoes against pellagra is probably due in part to the presence of nicotinic acid. Corn bread, molasses, and salt pork as a diet is apparently deficient in nicotinic acid. This is the characteristic diet of the poor whites and blacks of the South. Our diet probably contains a sufficiency. At least it can be stated with reasonable certainty that there is no scientific evidence to support tobacco chewing as a health protective measure.

Improving Pasture on Welsh Mountain

TO reach Cahan Hill, the peak of which rises 3,000 feet above the sea level of Aberystwyth, on the coast of Wales, the traveler must pass Devil's Bridge, a haunting spot where the mountains are cleft by a dark and deep ravine, and which George Borrow, interpreter of Romany lore, has described as one of the most astounding places on earth.

Cahan Hill is now stealing the show from Devil's Bridge, since Professor R. G. Stapledon, director of the plant breeding station at Aberystwyth, introduced on its lofty heights one of the most remarkable pasture improvement schemes ever attempted. On this bare, bleak hill the work of reclamation was commenced in 1933.

Some of the means employed in the improvement are: (1) breaking up the sod with a rotary cultivator, (2) reseeding with orchard grass, wild white clover and seed cleanings and (3) fertilizing with phosphates in the Fall or Winter and supplementing this, where necessary, with nitrogen in Spring. The phosphatic fertilizing ensures the success of wild white clover and the better grasses which are fast replacing the poor species natural to the area. The net result to date is that the grazing value of the treated areas has been increased threefold, and lambs come fat from their dams, something never accomplished before at these altitudes.

Laburnums as Climbers

THE sight of a laburnum as a standard or half-standard tree is so familiar that there is a danger of forgetting that it makes one of the loveliest of climbers. The effect is really that of a yellow wistaria. Try a planting, and you will agree.

It doesn't matter whether the position vacant is an arch, wall or screen, or whether the situation is sunny or shady. Laburnum is happy in all aspects and that reason is doubly useful.

Before planting, prepare on generous lines a two-foot square, two-foot deep station. Mix stable manure or prepared hop manure freely with both spits, and into the top one work plenty of wood ashes, which quickly put newly-planted laburnum on its feet and keep it there.

A Page For CHILDREN

Sky Fairies' Surprise Package

"DO hurry with your lunch, Betty! Look, I've finished my last sandwich!"

"Why, Carol, you should be ashamed of yourself! Even though we are going to play in our house today, you shouldn't gobble your lunch. You know teacher doesn't like us to rush through our meals."

The teacher who had been standing near the windows of the little country schoolhouse and looking off into the valley, turned to the two little girls who were just finishing their noonday meal at the primary work-table. These two little ones had brightened up her lunch time with their innocent pranks and merry laughter and she was sorry that she had such bad news for them.

"Girls, I am afraid that you are going to be very disappointed—I don't think that you will be able to play in your make-believe house today."

"Oh, teacher, was it because I gobbled my sandwiches? I won't do it ever, ever again! Honest, I promise!" Carol had almost flown to her teacher's side and was pleading with tear-filled eyes, although she half suspected that she was being teased just a little bit.

"No dear, it isn't because of rushing with your meal, although I do not like you to hurry too much. Just look down the valley and you will see why I am sure that you will have to spend the rest of the noon hour indoors with me."

Quickly the two primary chairs were dragged to the window. Two worried faces were pressed against the panes to observe for themselves what was happening out-of-doors that would prevent their half-hour fun in the play-house behind the school woodshed. Soon the cause of teacher's big frown was easily seen as down the narrow valley rapidly rolled an enormously, large black cloud.

Betty almost fell off her small chair as the first vivid flash of jagged fork-lightning startled the little group of three within the room. Carol had covered her ears with frightened hands as the loud peals of thunder succeeded each bright flare and echoed back and forth from the hills that surrounded the little settlement. But teacher didn't seem the least bit concerned when the storm had burst with its fearful noise and tremendous fireworks. In fact, to the amazement of her two rather timid companions, she was actually laughing merrily when the noise of the storm was replaced with the resounding patter of hailstones as they fell upon the roof and lashed against the panes of the windows. Carol turned to her, her brown eyes wide with fright and in a tiny voice whispered, "Teacher, why are you laughing at this awful storm?"

Teacher sat down in her big chair, and taking the troubled little girls on her knee, started to explain just why she was enjoying the storm with its thunder and hail.

"You see, Carol and Betty, I know what caused that storm and I am laughing at the expression on the faces of the two naughty fairy boys when they discovered what was in the old man's package.

It all happened because Krim, one of the sky fairies, had been naughty and had disobeyed the orders of the Fairy Master. So many of the sky fairies had been tearing their clothes sliding down rainbows, that the Fairy Master of the sky had forbidden anyone to do it anymore.

Krim and Kurt, who I am sorry to say, were rather disobedient young fellows, had chosen not to listen to the warnings of their chief and had gone on sliding whenever rainbows appeared in the sky. But this afternoon poor Krim was caught just as he was performing a very difficult slide holding on with only one hand. Kurt, who had been watching with envy as his chum performed, just had time to shout a warning as the Fairy Master appeared from behind a little cloud.

The warning did not come soon enough for Krim to escape, for he fell into the upstretched arms of the angry chief. At a shout, Kurt appeared from behind the rainbow where he had hidden in an effort to avoid Master's scolding.

"You have been very naughty children. You heard my warnings and then I find you breaking all the rules. You will be punished for your conduct by sitting still on yonder cloud for the rest of the day."

That was the sternest punishment the Master could give out, for no fairy likes to sit still for more than a second, and very soon after he had left, Krim began to wiggle uncomfortably.

"Let's go down to earth and see if we can have some fun," he suggested to his companion in a low whisper.

"Why, that's as bad as sliding down rainbows—the Master would be awfully cross if he found out. You know the trouble we had when we last went there," replied Kurt, his eyes gleaming with excitement. His quick mind was filled with plans for fresh disobedience.

"Come on! Let's go!" shouted Krim as he slipped off his soft seat on the cloud and began tumbling head over heels through the air towards the ground far below them. Kurt followed close behind him, twisting and turning trying to beat his chum to the earth.

They landed as lightly as thistledown in a small wood and started off to explore, hoping for an adventure before the Master missed them and sent out a search party to look for them. Coming to a small clearing they spied a little cabin, tumbledown and weather beaten. Cautiously they approached it and slowly they entered its tiny room.

It was Kurt who first saw the old man fast asleep in the corner almost covered with the fallen leaves that had blown in through the open door, but it was Krim who had looked into the huge bag that the old man had evidently left standing near the crumbled fireplace. Together they lifted the flap and peered into its dark insides. In one corner almost hidden in the darkness was a tiny package. With quick fingers Kurt had taken the package and in a flash the two fairies were outside and flitting through the woods on their flashing wings.

"We're far enough away from the house now, let's see what we captured from the old man."

"I hope it's some candy," said Kurt, as they settled to the ground and undid the fastenings of string around their stolen booty.

"Why, it's only some seeds," came the disappointed cry from Krim, as some grains that resembled corn fell to the ground.

"But those seeds are popcorn!" shouted Kurt. "Shall we pop it?"

"We could if you had a corn-popper in your pocket," came the reply of his companion, sitting down on a rock to think out some way of getting the delicious grains cooked.

Kurt thought and thought, then suddenly gave a little shout, turned three rapid handsprings and then breathlessly outlined his plan to Krim.

Off they flew through the sky until had you been watching, you would have seen them fade from sight. These two boys were off on a wild plan to take the Big Dipper from the sky and pop their stolen corn over the flames from the sun. Carefully they laid their plans, for before they started they drew a great black cloud in front of the sun so the other fairies or the Master would not see what they were doing.

Crouched behind the enormous cloud Kurt held the Big Dipper near the flames while Krim poured the grains into the upturned opening. As the first popcorn touched the flames, the fireworks started. With the burst of the first grains, a great flash of lightning appeared, thunder rolled and hail flew about in the dipper. Kurt got so excited by the sudden turn of events, that he dropped the "popper" and flew to the top of the cloud where he was quickly joined by Krim, whose neat suit of blue was all sooty and blackened by the explosion.

Suddenly the two fairy lads felt stern fingers grasping the backs of their collars, and turning around in surprise, they saw the old man who had been sleeping so soundly in the little cabin in the wood.

"Oh, dear," moaned Krim, when he recognized him. "It's Father Christmas. We stole from his bag. Now we are in for it."

"Well," said the greatest fairy of them all, "I think you have had punishment enough, judging from the condition of your clothes. But the next time you take anything from an old man's bag, don't steal his spare supply of bad weather for the Christmas season in Australia."

Carol and Betty both agreed that they would like a sudden thunder-shower every day, if teacher would tell them just such a story each time the hail came tumbling down.

"I'll never be frightened of storms again," said Betty as the two little girls raced outside to see if the hail had spoiled anything in their playhouse.

No Litter Louts at Cross Gates

THE stationmaster of Lime Street at Liverpool has had the shock of his life, happily so pleasant that he is not likely to forget it.

What happened was that the girls of Cross Gates Council School near Leeds went by train to Liverpool. On the way they ate apples and oranges and bananas and sandwiches and chocolate, having as jolly a time as girls could hope to have. But the astonishing thing (at any rate in these careless days) was that when the L.M.S. officials examined the carriages afterwards they found them all as clean and neat as when the journey had been begun. The carriage cleaners could not believe their eyes, and their amazement was so great that they invited the stationmaster to see what had been done. He was no less surprised, and by way of thanks and as an appreciation of the behaviour of the girls and of the excellent supervision exercised by the teachers, he has written to the school. Here is part of his letter:

After the children had left the train our carriage and wagon foreman called my attention to the state of the coaches. All the litter made by the children had been gathered into paper bags, which were put on tables, one bag in each coach. We found the train as clean as before the children got into it at Leeds. How much better it is to be tidy than to be a Litter Lout, and how much more people like us!



FAMOUS HORSES PREPARE FOR LONDON'S WINTER CIRCUS

For Years the Bertram Mills Circus Has Been One of the Highlights of the London Season and One of the Most Popular Acts in the Show Is the Performance of the Trained Horses Above. In the Picture Gena Lipkowska Is Putting the Final Touches to the Act Before Going Up to London.

The "Sew-Sew" Woman

By ARNOLD PICKIN

WE had got our gangway ashore in Hankow and dealt with the usual rush of porters, hotel touts, and stevedores that always descended upon us at every port. For a few moments I stood under the deck awning enjoying a brief respite, when a quiet voice behind me said, "Sew-sew?"

Turning, I found a familiar little figure, dressed in sober black jacket and trousers and carrying her work bag beneath her arm. The two merry eyes that looked at me out of the wrinkled face had seen much suffering, as I knew, for Mrs. Wang and I had met many times before.

Her husband, the captain of a junk, had been claimed by the insatiable Yangtze Kiang, as had one of her sons. With the practical courage characteristic of the people of China, Mrs. Wang had ignored her years and set out to earn what living she could as a "sew-sew" woman.

These are a regular feature of life in China, and, as their name implies, earn their living by mending clothes. Each one has her regular class of employment, some making the rounds of the hotels and tea shops, others confining their operations to the streets, and some, like Mrs. Wang, waiting for the ships. Indeed, the "sew-sew" woman with her plaintive query is part and parcel of the arrival of a ship in almost any Chinese port.

Nothing comes amiss to her. A darn, a seam, an alteration, perhaps a patch as big as half your coat—her nimble fingers dive into her capacious bag and out comes the material required.

Wherever she finds her customers, there she does her work, and it is no uncommon sight to see her sitting in a crowded street, her quiet bent figure oblivious to the traffic, fingers flying, and possibly her half-clad customer seated patiently beside her. When she has finished she will trudge along again, eyes alert for holes or rents in the clothes of the passers-by.

Many of the coolie class are clad in garments of which very little of the original material is left. But that doesn't daunt the "sew-sew" woman. If there is anything left on which to put a patch, she will manage it somehow, and neatly, too. Indeed, it may be said that a large part of China hangs together simply through the efforts of the "sew-sew" woman.

Animal Humor

By LEWELLE REIMER in Dumb Animals

ANIMALS love, hate, fear, live and die, but only man can laugh, said some psychologist before he heard of the hyena. Probably the hyena's "laugh" is the least mirthful of the many forms of articulation synonymous for laughter that animals have to express their moods. Animals do not speak our language, so they do not laugh like we do, nor do the various species have a common tongue. But anyone who presumes that the higher animals are devoid of humor and joy has missed a world of delight.

Is there anything that quite surpasses the experience of arising at dawn to the tune of hundreds of song birds awakening? A veritable symphony lasting only until the brightening day, but surely nobody could be entirely immune to the heartening appeal of these carefree, joyous little creatures.

Have you ever surprised a fluffy little chick by picking it up and listened to the reproachful trill it emits? What could be more articulate? The cluck, cluck of the mother hen speaks volumes and the answering "cheep, cheep," registers childish levity. Let us not forget the old rooster's pompous crowing in the morning nor the hen's triumphant cackling over a freshly laid egg. These sturdy little birds lend joyous color to any farmyard.

The dog is one of the smartest of the domestic animals and most breeds enjoy showing off. Some will not wait for a command to do their "tricks" in an effort to attract attention and approval. They, too, like to play. If their masters are in a playful mood, the dogs are too. Do I hear someone say that all dogs look sad? Certainly, if you look only at their eyes, for they have but two expressions, wide attendance and sleep. But when their tails wag, you can be sure they are pleased. If we should shave a dog's head (I never tried it) I suspect we should find them very adept at facial expressions. We humans would look rather dull if only our eyeballs gleamed from a mass of beards.

No animal laughs as we do, nor smiles coyly, sweetly nor smugly, giggles, guffaws, chuckles, snorts, grins nor "tee hees." Yet we may not be as merry as we seem, but you can always be sure of a dog when he wags his tail.

Riddle in Rhyme

I'm a creature quite wooly:
You'll soon guess my name,
For backwards and forwards
My name is the same.
What am I?

Answer: Ewe.

Beside the Fire

Alone in my cabin, the black night shut out
And the fire blazing on the hearth;
Through the woods the wind roars like the ocean storm-tossed,
And the rain patters fast on the roof,
But I am secure and at peace with the world—
Alone with the fire on the hearth.

The flame rushes upward, pure orange and gold,
With a dancing blue at the base,
Which flickers and changes, now violet, now green,
Disappearing, then shining again
O'er the glowing red coals at the heart of the fire
Slowly fading to ashes, soft grey.

And still the rain steadily pours overhead,
And the wind moans outside through the trees;
But the fire fills the room with a soft ruddy glow,
And on time-darkened rafter and wall
Hand in hand play the light and the shadows, while I
Am alone with the fire on the hearth.

—Theodora Thayer.

Fairy Song

Shed no tear! O, shed no tear!
The flower will bloom another year.
Weep no more! O, weep no more!
Young buds sleep in the root's white core.
Dry your eyes! O, dry your eyes!
For I was taught in Paradise
To ease my breast of melodies
Shed no tear.

Overhead! look overhead!
'Mong the blossoms white and red:
Look up, look up. I flutter now
On this flush pomegranate bough.
See me! 'tis this silvery bell
Ever cures the good man's ill.
Shed no tear! O, shed no tear!
The flowers will bloom another year.
Adieu, adieu—I fly, adieu,
I vanish in the heaven's blue:
Adieu, adieu!

—John Keats.

Can You Find Me?

In everything I do exist.
In nothing I am found.
I'm present when there's silence,
And when the guns do sound.
You'll always find me in the night
But never in the day.
I'm at the end of every man,
So guess my name I pray.

Answer: The letter "N."

The Year's Festivals

Plough Monday and St. Distaff's Day

THE Maxton trio raced to open the front door. We're just toasting marshmallows Aunt Maimie," they exclaimed in chorus as she stepped inside. "Tum and have some," urged baby Midge tumbling over Matt the collie in his haste to take her hand and pull her along to the living-room fire, the scene of their activities.

"Here, I'll take your wraps," offered Madge and Mudge together, suddenly remembering their duties as host and hostess. "The grown-ups are out so we've got you all to our very own selves for a whole afternoon." They settled themselves comfortably around the fire. "And now," said Madge firmly, handing up piping hot, delicately browned marshmallows all ready to ooze sweet sticky creaminess, "we're all set for another story about the days."

"Well," smiled Aunt Maimie, "before we think of a special day let's talk about the month! January got its name from the old Roman two-faced god Janus, who looked both forward and back, into the past and the future. The beginning of the day, the month, the year was sacred to him, all gateways, housedoors and entrances were under his protection, and his aid was sought at the beginning of any important undertaking. He appeared on early Roman coins with two bearded faces looking in opposite directions. The Anglo-Saxons had a different thought, during this month hunger made the wolves so bold they came into the villages, so they named it Wulfmonath." "Ugh," shivered Madge, "how glad I am there are no wolves here." "Ugh," mimicked Mudge, "there are up north." "That's not here, silly," retorted Madge, "please go on Aunt Maimie.

"In Scotland New Year is called Hogmanay, and young people go from house to house singing ancient rhymes and receiving food or gifts, and it used to be an old custom at Scotch ports to make a burning wheel called a Clavie out of an old barrel, the Clavie-bearer carried it alight to every ship in dock. At Burghead on the Moray Firth the Clavie is borne up a hill and then thrown down, a rolling mass of flame. The poet Burns borrowed money so that he should not have empty pockets at the beginning of the year. 'To make the old year go out groaning, and keep the New Year from coming in moaning,' he said.

"Poor old year, what a lot of queer things grown-ups do and say," commented Madge. "And now for our story of two more January days." "Goody, two more," chcered Mudge. "Yes," said Aunt Maimie. "Christmas and New Year revels ended on Twelfth Night and next day, what day would that be?" she asked. "January seventh," yelled Madge and Mudge. "Quite correct, and on that day the women went back to their spinning, a task learned by high and low, rich and poor, so January seventh came to be called St. Distaff's Day, because the wool was spun onto a stick called a distaff. And there was plenty of fun that day, for it was up to the men to try to burn the wool or flax from the women's distaffs, and if they succeeded, it was up to the women to drench them with water. Robert Herrick wrote

"If the maids aspinning goe,
Burne their flax and fire their tow.
Bring the pails of water then
Let the maids bewash the men.
Give St Distaff all the right,
Then bid Christmas sport good night.
And next morning everyone
To his own vocation."

Except when January sixth falls on a Sunday the men get the best of it because they are not required to return to work until the first Monday after the Twelfth Day, and they made of it a festival and dragged a plough through the streets singing as they went and collecting money. A score or more in clean smocks and bright ribands drew the plough in a procession to the tune of "God Save the Plough," one of them was dressed as a fool in a fox's skin with tail hanging, another was arrayed as an old woman and called "The Bessy," he carried the money box. They went from village to village and sometimes ploughed up the land before the door of any house where the folks refused to give them alms.

The farmer gave a Plough Monday supper for them with plenty of good ale and beef, and even yet the Lord Mayor of London gives a Plough Monday Dinner that night, a survival of this old custom. Another game was played between the lads and lassies, it was a race to be first at work next morning, and if the man got into the farmhouse kitchen with his whip or any of his outdoor tools and managed to throw it down on the hearth before the girl got the kettle on for breakfast, then his master gave him a cock on Shrove Tuesday. If the girl was first she was given the cock. If the men had to work on Monday they scurried back at night to the kitchen door to cry "Cock in the pot" before any of the maids cried "Cock on the dunghill," again the one who was first got the cock. Now that is all, absolutely all for this day," laughed Aunt Maimie.

"And thank you," they all sighed comically, for they had been attending so closely they suddenly felt a loss till the sound of the gate brought them all scrambling to their feet to see who could be first to greet Mr. and Mrs. Maximillian Maxton as they crossed the threshold of the Maxton home. "I won," gurgled Midge, throwing himself into his mother's arms.

Can You File?

MANY people use a file as thought it were a piece of emery cloth or sandpaper. A file, like a saw, is provided with teeth, and—what is even more important—it only cuts in one direction.

A file should always be fitted with a handle, as it gives more confidence over the work—as well as being more comfortable. For small files a large cork will be found quite suitable. Try and develop a sense of touch, for there is no need to grip the handle any more than there is need to balance a bicycle. The more practice the more natural will become the touch.

Whenever possible the article being filed should be held firmly in a vise. When reducing a flat surface such as the face of a disc, drive four short pins into a block of wood around the disc. In this way the disc can be held quite firm. For flat pieces of metal or other shapes it will only be necessary to drive in two pins and push one side of the metal against the pins in the same way that a carpenter uses a stop when planing.

When it is not desirable to mark the edge of, for example, a silver article, it should be fixed to a block of wood with some pitch. Very tiny articles can be rested on the top of a good cork. The action of the file will embed them into the cork.

The most important thing to remember is to keep the surface flat. The strokes should all be of equal length and of equal pressure, but no pressure on the backward stroke. Actually the metal should not be touched when drawing the file backward. If you watch an experienced fitter, the file appears just to skim the surface.

Always keep a small square or straight-edge for testing the flatness. Rounded corners and hollowed centres will reveal bad filing. By placing the thumb and finger of the left hand on the tip of the file the see-saw action will be prevented.

Long, narrow edges can be kept straight by filing them steadily lengthwise instead of short crosswise movements. For rod or wire always use a holder that can be easily turned between the thumb and fingers. If the holder is kept turning completely round whilst filing, the shape will remain the same. Failure to turn the holder will result in an oval section.

There is no need to possess a large number of files—although an assortment of round, flat, square, half-round, triangular and other shapes is an asset—for a very neat finish can be obtained by using only a very coarse file if you know the way. Draw-filing—the act of drawing the file sideways along the metal—removes the coarse serrations. By doing this a number of times, each time with a little less pressure, you will need very little emery cloth.

New files should only be used for brass. Older files will be quite good enough for iron, copper and similar soft metals. Use nothing better than your oldest file for lead and solder, for the teeth become so clogged that a good file once used on such a metal is ruined. A piece of card wire fixed to a flat piece of wood makes a useful cleaner, and helps to prolong the life of any file.—W. G. Pike, in The Boys' Own.

Needle Coat

By DOROTHEA LOUISE GOULD

IN the northern latitude in North America, northwest to the Arctic Circle and Alaska, may be found any number of little animals somewhat larger than rats, eating the bark off the evergreen trees.

And woe be unto the person or animal who gets in the way of one of these animals! For its coat is covered with quills that are barbed at the tips, and so loosely set in the body that contact with them will make them stick into anyone or anything immediately. Now, of course, you've guessed what the animal is, the porcupine or the quill pig.

There is evidently a very special reason for this quill covering on the porcupine, for it is a characteristic not found in any other animal. Since the porcupine is such a stupid animal (another animal characteristic all its own) nature has provided these quills for protection.

The porcupine eats bark and twigs almost exclusively. It shows also a fondness for salt, as has been observed from the manner in which it has gnawed flooring, doors or other articles that have been handled. However, the porcupine does prefer the evergreen forest, and when it finds the tree it wants, it will climb up rather slowly and make this tree its abode until the store of food is exhausted, which means that the tree has been stripped of its bark and twigs.

If a porcupine is attacked it will hide its head under a log or root, if one is handy, otherwise between its paws. This is further evidence of its stupidity. But here again the quills do the protective work.

There are six varieties of North American porcupine, distinguished from the Canadian porcupine only by a slight variation of color, the hairs of the Canadian porcupine being yellowish-white, while those of the North American species are greenish-yellow.

Great Britain and the Dominions Overseas

Question of What Is Scotch Whisky Aired in Courts

Issue of Long Standing Again Raised in Case of Alleged False Trade Description — Thefts on Railways Surprisingly Few — Decrease in Revenues Through Competition Reported

By GLANVILLE CAREW.

LONDON (BUP). — What is Scotch whisky? That is a question which has been agitating the Scottish courts for some days past. It has arisen in a case where a firm is charged with having applied a false trade description—"Scotch whisky"—to whisky which was a blend of 33 per cent Scotch whisky and 67 per cent Northern Irish whisky.

The question at this writing has not been answered, but the answer is likely to be pretty technical anyway. Dealing with the contention of certain witnesses that Scotch whisky is whisky produced in Scotland, here are some of the proceedings:

Counsel for defendants: 'Where are Spanish onions grown?"

Witness: "Spain."

Counsel: "Are not some grown out of Spain?"

Witness: "I daresay."

Counsel "Where do Brussels sprouts grow?". (The reply was lost in laughter.)

Counsel: "Is Scotch broth always made in Scotland?"

Witness: "I don't suppose it is."

Counsel: "Do you ever deal in Jerusalem artichokes?"

Witness: "No."

Counsel: "Do you think they come from Jerusalem?"

Witness: "I don't know."

Counsel: "Must Scotch broth be made in Scotland to be made properly?"

Witness: "They supply you with London buns in Glasgow."

Counsel: "What would you call Scotch firs grown in England?"

Witness: "Pinus sylvertus."

The question of what is Scotch whisky has been many times debated for at least half a century. And for that matter—what is Irish stew?

THEFT ON RAILWAYS

"Everywhere he traveled first class. He lived in the country, and on the Monday of each week he said good-bye to his wife and left home for his 'big job' in the city. . . ."

That was what the police said of a well-dressed young man who stood in the dock at the Old Bailey recently. They added that his "'big job' in the city" was stealing jewelry from women in trains. And it was shown that his known thefts totaled up to £6,969.

The British railway companies reckon that losses due to thefts of one sort and another amount to about £750,000 a year.

That seems a very large figure, but in view of the facilities which our "system" of dealing with train baggage and the laxity of passengers offer to thieves, they are really much smaller than might be supposed.

Take an every day and everywhere instance. A passenger is going, say, from Southampton to London. He has with him two suitcases and an attache case. The attache case he retains in his own possession. As to the suitcases, he calls a porter and says to him, "Label those for London." The porter sticks a small two-by-three label on each of them, "Southampton to Waterloo," and in company with scores of other articles the cases are put in the luggage van. There is no check of any sort. At Waterloo—and the same sort of thing is going on all over the country—the contents of the van are dumped out on the platform anyhow. And there may be vans at both ends of the train. The passengers crowd around one pile or the other and extract their own stuff, a porter calls a taxi—and off goes the owner with the goods, or perhaps someone else goes with them.

PERCENTAGE IS SMALL

The remarkable thing is that although in these conditions the opportunities for a slick thief to choose someone else's baggage quickly and "beat it" are practically infinite, the actual percentage of such thefts is very small.

As to small hand baggage, the average traveler places this on the rack in his compartment and casually strolls down the platform to buy a newspaper—and away goes his attache case, but not with him.

The railway police, experts though they are in spotting crooks, cannot be everywhere. Anyway—who can protect women who leave dressing cases containing thousands of pounds' worth of jewelry absolutely unwatched?

RAILWAY PROBLEM

Speaking of the railways, although to the passengers everything is well—trains faster, more comfortable, more frequent—yet to their management things are just awful and the financial outlook frightens them. So to the Government no less than to the public they are stating their case and actively pressing their case for alteration of their circumstances and for being placed on an equality with the road transport people.

The dangerous decrease of their revenue is caused mainly by the growing carriage of goods by road. The grievance of the railways is that they are not allowed to compete on equal terms with hauliers; they complain that as common carriers they must carry whatever goods are offered them and they must carry them at a charge which they cannot alter except after long and semi-public legal proceedings, if at all. On the other hand their road competitors need not carry any goods they don't want to carry and that they can and do just select the cream of the traffic which happens to suit them. The railways complain that the road companies are not taxed so highly and do not, except very indirectly, contribute to the maintenance of the roads they use, while the railways pay taxes on every yard of the land their lines are laid on, and maintain their permanent way into the bargain.

FEAR OF MONOPOLY

The root of the railways' trouble lies a long way back. The railways were put in fetters nearly a century ago when railway traffic was developing so rapidly that there was a danger of their acquiring a monopoly on the transport of goods. So their charges were regulated by legislation. Then came the road lorry form of transportation, practically unhampered and unrestricted. The restrictions on the railways remain in operation, although the cause which led to them, public fear of monopoly, has vanished.

Whatever the solution of the trouble may be found to be, the suggestion that competition may be effected by a tremendous merger of road and rail interests induces a fear that that way might lie a monopoly on a far larger scale than ever before.

NON-GOLFER INVENTS FOOL-PROOF PUTTER

LONDON (BUP).—Professor A. M. Low, who has never played golf, has invented a putter with which a player cannot miss.

The secret of the new "never-miss" putter is a small lamp fitted to the shaft of the putter which shows a red light if the player does not move his club in a straight line with the ball and the hole.

If you play the shot with the right strength, and the red light does not show, the ball goes into the hole.

It is not intended for match play—but for practice.

Break Record in Old Automobile

MELBOURNE (BUP). — The record for driving around the Australian continent has been almost halved by a fourteen-year-old motor car.

Flight Lieutenant John R. Balmer, of the Royal Australian Air Force, and Richard Kent, of Melbourne, drove the 9,000 miles around Australia in twenty-three and a half days. For 1,400 miles the way lay over unmade stony tracks, yet they averaged 385 miles a day.

The previous record of forty-five days was made two years ago.

TO LAUNCH MANY SHIPS

Great Britain to Add Forty-Five Warcraft to Fleet This Year

LONDON (BUP).—Great Britain is to set a peace-time record in 1939 by launching forty-five new fighting ships.

The ships to be launched in 1939, apart from auxiliary craft like boom defence ships, motor torpedo boats, depot ships and tugs, will total 355,705 tons and will be greater than any figure ever approached by a nation in time of peace. They will be little less than the aggregate tonnage launched in any year of the war.

There will be five battleships, of a total tonnage of 175,000, three aircraft carriers, five large cruisers, seven small cruisers, eleven destroyers, nine submarines and five sloops.

The first important vessels will be the battleship, King George V, to be launched on February 21, followed by a sister ship, the Prince of Wales, in March. Three more warships of the same class, the Anson, Jellicoe and Beatty, will follow. They will be the largest and most strongly armoured battleships ever built in Britain, and will be among the world's fastest battleships.

AIRCRAFT CARRIERS

The three aircraft carriers, Illustrious, Victorious and Formidable, will be the largest yet built for the Royal Navy, being 23,000 tons each. The five large cruisers, Fiji, Kenya, Mauritius, Nigeria and Trinidad, will be a new type of 8,000 tons with twelve six-inch guns and a speed of thirty-three knots.

The seven small cruisers will also be a new type, with a unique armament of ten 5.2-inch guns of a new model credited with a rate of fire of fourteen rounds a minute.

With the new ships launched, there will still be some important warships on the stocks, including two 40,000-ton battleships, four heavy and three light cruisers. These and many other lesser vessels will be provided for in the 1939 estimates.

ELEPHANT TAKEN TO COURT AS EVIDENCE

COLOMBO, Ceylon (BUP).—An elephant was brought into a courtroom at Baduila in a case in which its driver was charged with ill-treating it.

Once the magistrate could see for himself the injuries to ears and skull, and the fact that the animal was nearly blind, he fined the driver $1.



EXAMINING IRON LUNG

Viscount Nuffield, Left, Who Has Offered an Iron Lung to Each Hospital in the Empire, Examines One With Lord Cunliffe at Guy's Hospital, London.

At Finish of Peanut-Rolling Contest



With Noses Plastered to Protect Them From the Rough Pavement, Three Entrants in a Peanut-Rolling Contest Are Watched Keenly by Their Friends as They Approach the Finishing Line. Scene of the Race Is a King's Cross Street in London.

Election as Mayor Force Jobless Man To Lead Double Life

Mansfield Official Enjoys Motor With Chauffeur And Allowance in Public and in Private Lives on the Dole

LONDON (BUP).—When the dole queue forms up every week at the Labor Exchange in Mansfield, Nottinghamshire, a stocky little man in blue overcoat and bowler hat hurries out of the Town Hall to join the ranks.

He is the new Mayor of Mansfield, in private life an unemployed miner—Councillor J. H. Williamson. Now he must live a double life.

Officially he enjoys an oak-panelled parlor in the Town Hall, a luxurious limousine with a chauffeur, and an allowance of $750 a year. In private he has a tiny "council" house and lives on the dole.

Williamson was the admiration of his fellows on the dole recently when, in faultless evening dress, he appeared as Mayor at a ball and dance with the Marchioness of Titchfield. His wife was there, too, in a new lace dress. He knows what it is like to be almost penniless in the daytime and a dignified public figure in evening dress with a gold chain round his neck at night.

WORKED AT COLLIERY

Ten years ago Williams lost his job in a local colliery. Then he made a living by collecting subscriptions for the Notts' Miners' Federation. Last year that was merged into another trade union, and under the agreement he was offered his job back in the pit.

"They wanted me to start at the coal face at 55 with my muscles flabby. It would have killed me in a week, as they were not prepared to give me a chance to catch up," he said.

"'Not Joe Williamson,' I said, and I went on the dole instead. Now I am Mayor, I still walk along to the Labor Exchange like anybody else. If I am not in a hurry I get in the queue with the other lads.

"Of course I don't drive there in my mayoral car. Who wants a car anyway? I never let the chauffeur open the door for me when I do go out in it. 'You sit there me lad,' I say, and get out myself."

LIABLE TO MEANS TEST

Unless he finds a job before next February, Mansfield's Mayor will become liable to the means test.

"But I shan't stand for that," he says. "If I am still out of work then I shall get a couple of buckets and a ladder and go round window cleaning.

"Happen they'll laugh to see the Mayor doing that, but I'll knock up a bob or two and serve the town well.

"I haven't a pound in the bank and I'm on the dole, but I'll spend all my mayoral allowance like any other mayor with thousands. My mayor-making tea party alone cost me £29-11s, yet my wife hasn't had more than 25s a week from me in the last ten years.

"Aye, and she's paid the rent and insurance out of that."

GROWS RECORD MARROW

LONDON (BUP). — Spencer Roper, of Suffolk, has grown what is claimed to be the biggest marrow ever produced in Britain. It weighs ninety-six pounds, is thirty-two inches long and four feet six inches in girth.

Fine Farmer For Selling Big Potatoes

LONDON (BUP).—The Potato Marketing Board fined a Scottish farmer for selling potatoes that were too big.

He had failed to comply with a new regulation which states that "No registered producer may sell for human consumption any potato which exceeds one pound in weight."

His was the first case under this rule. The fine was £2 ($10).

It was stated that he had held back twenty-five tons of large potatoes, as against forty-five tons which he had sold.

LEAVES FORTUNE TO EXCHEQUER

Friendless Resident of Dingy, Bristol, Lodgings Bequeaths $783,000 to the Nation

LONDON (BUP).—No one suspected when Albert John Grave died in dingy lodgings in Bristol that he was a wealthy man, but his will, which has just been probated, reveals that he had a fortune of $783,865.

All of it, with the exception of a few hundred dollars which were bequeathed to charities, will go to the Chancellor of the Exchequer for the reduction of the national debt.

During the years he resided in Bristol, he never spent more than $7.50 a week. Friendless and reticent, Grave sought no company. He never read, but spent hours looking out of the window on his drab surroundings puffing away at an old clay pipe.

WORD FOR COURAGE NOT BANNED FROM AUSTRALIAN RADIO

SYDNEY (BUP).—You can say the word "guts" (meaning courage) over the wireless in Australia and the Talks Department does not object.

B. H. Molesworth, the Federal Controller of Talks of the Australian Broadcasting Commission, pointed this out when declaring that "good Australian" was liked by many listeners and approved by the commission.

"By good Australian I don't mean bad language or the flat nasal intonation which has earned our accent a bad name," he said. "It does mean, however, that we have no desire to impose a false standard of speech on the people of this country.

"Characteristic Australian is nothing to be ashamed of. We don't want imported Americanisms any more than assumed Oxfordisms."

PRETTY PLANT SOON A CURSE

Millions of Acres in South Africa Overrun In Last 150 Years

PRETORIA (BUP). — Because some farmers took a fancy to a new ornamental plant in the Cape Town Gardens 150 years ago, the South African Government is now waging a fight to reclaim 4,233,000 acres of fertile land.

The new plant was a little prickly pear, brought from South America, and the farmers took a few slips of it back to Graaf Reinet, the wine-growing district of the Cape, to ornament their gardens. In 150 years the prickly pear has over-run and ruined more than 4,000,000 acres of good land.

Now an army of little insects is being bred to fight the pear and reclaim the ruined land. The insect is the cactoblastis, of the ladybird family, which has had great success in freeing large tracts of Australia from the prickly pear. Some 80,000,000 cactoblastis eggs were hatched out in the prickly pear area last year and the same number are expected to be added to the insect army this year.

ROCK PAINTINGS FOUND IN CAVE

DARWIN (BUP).—A regular "art gallery" of rock paintings has been discovered by Hugh Stewart in a series of caves near Delamere Station, North Australia. Though the paintings are hundreds of years old, the colors are as fresh as if they had been painted yesterday. The chief picture is of an apparently royal couple, gorgeously attired, wearing imposing headdresses and a sign like a cross on their breasts.

People, animals and fishes are among the objects represented. Hundreds of stone implements are scattered about the caves, as well as many heaps of embers containing fragments of human bones, and in one cave, skulls and large shin-bones.

MILDEW ATTACK ON CLOTH PREVENTABLE

BOMBAY, (BUP).—The losses suffered by the textile industry in India and other tropical countries owing to the mildew attack on gray cloth can now be prevented, experiments carried out by the Technological Laboratory of the Indian Central Cotton Committee here have shown.

It is suggested that the use of antiseptic during sizing processes will prevent the growth of micro-organisms caused by his humidity and tropical temperature. The need for using pure water for mixing sizing and finishing materials is also stressed.



PRESIDENT OF ROYAL ACADEMY

New President of the Royal Academy Is Sir Edwin Lutyens, Fifteenth to Occupy the Position. He Is Famous as the Designer of the Cenotaph in Whitehall.

British Race Horses Still Best in World Says Lord Rosebery

Breeders Told How Thoroughly Strain Has Been Kept Pure for Two Hundred Years—Compared With French Horses

LONDON (BUP). — In spite of the number of French Classic winners, the Earl of Rosebery maintains that British thoroughbred race horses are still the best in the world. Lord Rosebery is chairman of the Thoroughbred Breeders' Association and at the annual meeting at Newmarket he described the task of keeping the strain pure.

Since the reign of Henry VIII, he said, there had been a special breed of racehorse in this country which breed was crossed with the Turks, Barbs and Arabians, and gave rise at the end of the seventeenth century to the English thoroughbred. From 1727 accurate records of the racing performances of members of this breed and the ancestry of many members of the foundation stock of an earlier date, had been carefully preserved.

RECORDS CAREFULLY KEPT

Based on these data, Mr. Weatherby, keeper of the match book at Newmarket issued the first volume of the General Stud Book in 1791.

Horses and mares which could not be traced in every line of their ancestry, were not eligible for the English Stud Book and were not entitled to be described as thoroughbred.

Forty-two years ago the importation of horses from the United States and also Australia caused closer attention to be paid to their ancestry.

Messrs. Weatherby consulted the Jockey Club and after a conference between leading breeders it was decided that a claim to admission to the Stud Book should be based on satisfactory proof of eight or nine crosses of pure blood, and that an animal should trace back at least a century and show such performance of its immediate ancestry on the turf as to warrant the belief in the purity of its blood.

REGULATIONS TIGHTENED

In 1909 it was pointed out that according to this ruling many American horses were able to gain entrance to the Stud Book though they were far from being thoroughbred. In 1913 it was decided that after that date no horse or mare can be considered eligible for admission unless it can be traced without flaw on both sire's and dam's side of its pedigree to horses and mares already accepted in earlier volumes of the book.

"I earnestly hope," said Lord Rosebery, "That no one will ever induce Weatherby's to alter this rule."

Lord Rosebery pointed out that England's two great races were the Derby for three-year-olds and the Gold Cup, for three-year-olds and older. The Derby has been won three times by French horses—Gladiator, a great horse, but no good at the stud, Burbar II, a moderate racehorse of no stud value in this country, and Bois Rousseim, this year's winner.

The Gold Cup, a magnificent test for stamina, has been won twice in all its history by American horses, Foxhall and Flares, and three times in the last sixty years by three French horses, Massine, Maximum II and Elf II.

RARE WILD DOG FOUND IN HILLS

Tasmanian Marsupial Wolf Is Nearly Extinct—Census To Be Taken

HOBART, Tasmania (BUP).—An expedition to find the almost extinct Tasmanian marsupial wolf, or "tiger," as it is generally known, has left here.

The "tiger," which used to be shot on sight, harried by settlers' dogs, and made the victim of organized hunts, has retreated to the rugged western and southwestern parts of Tasmania, where it is believed to be making its last stand. The country to be travelled by the expedition is shown to be the wildest and least frequented in the state.

Because of several dark vertical stripes over its body, the Tasmanian marsupial wolf has gained the title of "tiger," although it is in no way related to the real tiger, or, in fact, does it possess any close relatives in any part of the world. Its head and mouth are like those of true wolves, but there all resemblance ends.

IS PRIMITIVE TYPE

It is considered to be an extremely primitive type of animal. It possesses a marsupial pouch in which the young are carried, but unlike most marsupials, the opening of the pouch faces backwards. Fossil remains prove that it once inhabited many parts of the Australian Mainland.

The expedition proposes to find the few remaining haunts of the animal and take a census of the number still alive, with the ultimate objective of preserving it from extinction. The animal has become so rare that, despite substantial rewards offered for its capture, zoological gardens have been unable to procure a specimen for exhibition.

SETS RATES OF PAY FOR BOXERS

Trade Union Prepares Scale for Men Fighting in Preliminary Bouts in England

LONDON (BUP).—Boxers who fight in preliminary bouts in England are to get trade union rates of pay.

The National Boxing Association, the boxer's union, of which Jimmy Wilde is president, has announced that they have succeeded in raising purse money in most areas to what they have laid down as the minimum. This is:

Six rounders: Win $6.50, lose, $5.

Eight rounders: Win, $8.25, lose, $7.50.

Ten rounders: win, $17.50, lose, $15.

This is for two-minute rounds.

The increase means the differences between decent food and semi-starvation to dozens of young boxers. In the past many young boxers took a severe beating for $2.50.

It is Wilde's ambition to try and regulate the boxing game to prevent under-developed boys with more heart than muscle getting the fight knocked out of them by unscrupulous promoters who make them fight too often and against men who are too big.